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Proceedings, Financial Department, communicating orders of the Government of India, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	15th Oct.	877 B
Exchange Compensation allowance.—Proceedings, Financial Department, communicating, with remarks, Government of India resolution issuing new rules for the grant of —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	13th July	620 B
Proceedings, Financial Department, communicating Government of India telegram enquiring when a reply to the above resolution may be expected, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	18th Aug.	732 B
Proceedings, Financial Department, communicating Government of India letter regarding the claim for — of an employé of Government engaged at a fixed salary for a fixed term of years, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	24th Nov.	959 B
Port Surgeon at Pámban.—Orders directing the charge on account of travelling allowance of the — proceeding to Rameswaram to grant pratique to the S.S. "Patrick Stewart" of the Government of India, be admitted against Port funds	15th July	628 B
B. R. Somayajulu, second clerk, Port office, Cocanada.—The grant of a personal allowance of Rs. 10 per mensem to —, sanctioned	24th ,,	662 B
Acting Allowances.—Proceedings, Public Department, drawing attention to the rule laid down that all applications for deputation, travelling and — should be submitted through the Accountant-General and directing further that all applications for extensions of joining time and subsidiary leave shall be forwarded through the same officer, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	28th ,,	674 B
P. Vasudeva Rau, Sub. pro tem. Superintendent, Sea Customs, Pámban.—An allowance of Rs. 30 per mensem granted to — for the period he was in charge of the port office at station in addition to his own duties	5th Aug.	695 B

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"Camp Equipage."— Proceedings, Financial Department, drawing attention to article 21 of the Civil Service Regulations where the term — is defined as meaning the "apparatus for moving a camp", communicated to the Presidency Port officer	7th Aug.	700 B
Claims under the Madras Hill Allowance Code.—Proceedings, Financial Department, stating that certain — as well as all applications for relaxation of the rules in the Code or for special concessions, will in future, be dealt with in the Financial department, recorded	10th „	712 B
Famine Batta.— Proceedings, Revenue Department, directing that Government servants in Civil establishments in the districts of Bellary, Vizagapatam, Kurnool, Anantapur and Cuddapah be granted — under Art. 72 of the Civil Account Code with effect from certain dates, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	10th „	710 B
Travelling Allowance.—Proceedings, Financial Department, circulating certain rules for the grant of — under article 12 of the Madras Hill Allowance Code, recorded	7th Sept.	782 B
Proceedings, Financial Department, approving the proposal of the Board of Revenue fixing the scale of — to non-gazetted ministerial officers and menials for journeys by boat along the Bezwada-Masulipatam canal, communicated to the Presidency Port officer ..	11th „	793 B
Disallowances. Power to remit—by Audit officers.—Proceedings, Financial Department, recording Government of India resolution delegating to Local Governments and Administrations, &c., the — so far as they affect payments made more than six months before the date when they were challenged, communicated to the Presidency Port officer ..	11th „	795 B
Exchange Compensation Allowance.— Proceedings, Financial Department, communicating Government of India letter fixing rate of exchange to be provisionally adopted for the calculation of — in the budget estimates for 1898-99 and the revised estimates for 1897-98 at 1*s* 3*d* the rupee, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	11th „	797 B
Famine Batta.—Proceedings, Revenue Department, directing the discontinuance of the grant of — in the Vizagapatam district with effect from 14th August 1897, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	20th „	818 B
Do.—Proceedings, Revenue Department, directing that Government servants in Civil establishments in the districts of Gódávari, Kistna and South Canara be granted the extra allowances permissible under article 72 of the Civil Account Code with effect from 10th September 1897, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	12th Oct.	862 B
Acting Allowances. — Proceedings, Revenue Department, directing that the ruling made in 1876-77 that — only are admissible in the case of substitutes for officers deputed on famine duty, be followed during the present famine, recorded	12th „	864 B

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Exchange Compensation Allowance.—Proceedings, Financial Department, communicating Government of India resolution regarding the enforcement of Rule XIII of the new rules for the grant of — in certain cases, and requesting the Accountant-General and heads of departments to report to Government all cases in which doubt exists as to the eligibility of an officer to draw the allowance, communicated to Presidency Port officer	13th Oct.	870 B
Firemen sanctioned for the Dredger "Havelock". Pay of the two —. Proceedings, Financial Department, according sanction to the re-distribution made by the Landing and Shipping Dues Committee, Negapatam, of the — at that port, communicated to the Presidency Port officer ..	10th Nov.	910 B
Acting Allowances. — Proceedings, Revenue Department, informing the Famine Commissioner that G.O., No. 5170, dated 2nd October 1897, directing the grant of — only to persons acting for officers deputed on famine duty was intended to have and should have, retrospective effect, recorded	2nd Dec.	976 B
Mr. R. L. Swann, Reserve Port Officer.—Deputation allowance to — *Vide* Officers and Subordinates.		
Tentage Allowance. — Proceedings, Financial Department, furnishing the Government of India with copies of certain correspondence with the Accountant-General on the subject of the — of Forest Settlement officers, and communicating to departments of the Secretariat the request of the Government of India that a copy of the papers should invariably accompany references relating to objections taken by the Audit department, recorded	7th "	998 B
Exchange Compensation Allowance.—Proceedings, Financial Department, communicating Government of India resolution stating that the offices of Assistant District Superintendent of Police and District Superintendent of Police are offices for which European qualifications are indispensable, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	10th "	1010 B
Proceedings, Financial Department, referring for remarks report from the Accountant-General regarding the eligibility of officers to — under the new rules, communicated to the Presidency Port officer for report as regards certain officers	23rd "	1048 B
Compensation for Dearness of Provisions.—Proceedings, Revenue Department, on Government of India letter stating that acting menial servants holding no substantive posts and members of temporary establishments including those entertained under the Famine Code may be granted —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	13th "	1022 B
Mr. J. M. Simpson, Port Officer.—Personal allowance to— *Vide* "Officers and Subordinates."		
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Post of Type-writing clerk in Government offices.—Proceedings, Educational Department, ordering that from 1st January 1898 candidates for the — should have passed the Government technical examination in type-writing, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	26th Feb.	171 B
Mr. W. H. Allen, late Commander of the Burma Government steamer "George."—The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Burma, informed that the name of — will be registered for employment and brought forward at a fitting opportunity	4th May	423–24 B
Appointment to Government employment.—Proceedings, Public Department, stating that the certificate of general health required from candidates for admission into Government training institutions, &c., is no guarantee that the students will be fit for the public service at the end of their course and that the Government therefore does not consider it admissible in such cases to dispense with the medical certificate of fitness for the public service prior to their —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	9th July	610 B
Appointment of a third-class Hospital Assistant as Port Health officer of the Port of Cocanada—Vide "Sanitation."		
Mr. C. H. Wilkinson.—Appointment of — as Superintendent of Immigration from India to Ceylon—*Vide* "Officers and Subordinates—General."		
Temporary appointments and deputations.—Proceedings, Financial Department, communicating extract from Government of India letter requesting that when — are sanctioned under article 95 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations the period may invariably be specified, recorded	23rd Sept.	830 B
Appointments. Power of the Government of Madras to remove officers from their —. Proceedings, Public Department, communicating letter from the Government of India regarding the —, recorded	29th Oct.	887 B
Mr. A. C. MacDonald.—Orders appointing — to be a member of the Landing and Shipping Dues Committee, Vizagapatam, *vice* Mr. W. S. Lindsay, resigned	15th Nov.	932 B
Native Military Pensioners. Employment in Civil capacities of —. Proceedings, Public Department, on report of the Superintendent of Pensions on the — for 1896-97, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	15th "	936 B
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BARS.		
Bar at the Port of Cocanada.—Copy of report from the Port officer, Cocanada, respecting the condition of the — in April 1897, recorded	10th June	523 B
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Licensed boats.—Orders requesting that the opinion of the Advocate-General be obtained as to whether registration can be enforced in the case of — which ply beyond port limits, &c.	26th Jan.	72 A
Top-boat maintained for the use of the Armoghom Lighthouse establishment. — Proceedings, Public Works Department, declining to exempt the — from paying fees for using the Buckingham canal, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	16th Mar.	245 B
Paddle boat.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 760 for constructing a — for use in the Lighthouse division, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	14th April	358 B
Boat hire for the Health Officer of the Port of Madras.—The payment of the — at Rs. 30 per mensem, sanctioned ..	20th May	469 B
Mooring boat for the Madras Harbour.—The provision of a second — and of the requisite establishment for working it, sanctioned	17th June	548 A
The payment of Rs. 900 from Pilotage funds for the — authorised to be purchased in the above Government Order, sanctioned and directing that the actual payment be deferred till after 1st January 1898	6th Dec.	985 B
Boat for Harbour Masters.—The proposed expenditure of Rs. 1,000 on a new — at Madras, sanctioned from the source indicated by the Presidency Port officer	9th July	609 B
Port boat for Negapatam.— The proposed expenditure of Rs. 630 on the purchase of a new —, sanctioned with remarks	23rd „	660 B
Port boat.—Orders on application from the Presidency Port officer for sanction to the hiring of a — as a temporary measure, for carrying out the medical inspection of vessels arriving at Calicut	20th Sept.	817 B
Cargo boats at Cocanada Port.—Orders observing that no power is vested in the Government to sanction the exemption of the — from carrying side lights for preventing collisions at sea	22nd Nov.	953 A
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Civil Estimates for 1897–98.—Proceedings, Financial Department, directing that provision be made for certain additional grants in the —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	18th Jan.	58 B
Budget Estimates. Preparation of —. Proceedings, Financial Department, ordering the insertion of certain addenda in the copies of instructions for the —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	28th „	81 B
Civil Budget Estimates.—Proceedings, Financial Department, reviewing the — for 1897–98, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	28th „	83 B

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Estimates of receipts and charges of the Madras Harbour Trust for 1896–97.—Orders approving, with remarks, and forwarding to the Financial Department the revised —	18th Feb.	137 A
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Revised Estimates for 1896–97 *and the Budget Estimates for* 1897–98 *of receipts and charges of the Port and Marine Funds of the Madras Presidency.*—Orders approving with remarks and forwarding to the Financial Department for sanction the —	3rd „	190 A
Erratum in the above Government Order	26th „	303 B
Proceedings, Financial Department, sanctioning the —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	8th April	340 B
Orders directing that certain items in the — be expunged or altered	20th „	359 B
Public Works Proceedings recording, with remarks, G.O., No. 190-Mar., dated 3rd March 1897, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	20th „	360 B
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Explanation of the Presidency Port officer as to certain points noticed in the budget estimate for 1897–98, recorded with remarks	27th April	380 A
Revised and budget of receipts and charges of the Biden Home for 1896–97 and 1897–98.—Orders approving the — ..	9th Mar.	207 A
Local Funds Budget Estimates for 1897–98.— Proceedings, Public Works Department, circulating with remarks the preliminary issue of the incorporated and excluded —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	16th „	243 B
Proceedings, Public Works Department, directing that certain alterations be carried out in the final issue of the excluded —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	20th April	360 B
Budget Estimates of receipts and charges of the Madras Harbour Trust.—The — for 1897–98, approved and transferred to the Financial Department for sanction and communication to the Accountant-General	20th Mar.	275 A
Proceedings, Financial Department, sanctioning and communicating to the Accountant-General the —, communicated to the Chairman, Harbour Trust Board ..	30th April	399 B
Incorporated and Excluded Local Fund Budget Estimates.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, circulating to officers concerned for guidance the final issue of the — for 1897–98, communicated to the Presidency Port officer.	2nd June	507 B
Proceedings, Financial Department, recording the above Public Works Proceedings, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	19th „	561 B

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BUDGETS—*cont.*	1897.	
Incorporated and Excluded Local Fund Budget Estimates.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, issuing an erratum in the final issue of the — for 1897–98, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	24th June	572 B
Revised Estimate of Port and Marine Funds for 1896–97.—Letter from the Presidency Port officer explaining the difference between the — and the budget estimates for that year under " General charges", recorded	22nd July	659 B
Excluded Local Fund Budget Estimates.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, on correspondence from Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, embodying remarks on certain item in the — for 1897–98, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	28th ,,	671 B
Budget Allotments.—Proceedings, Financial Department, delegating to Collectors and District Magistrates, &c., the power to sanction transfer of — from one detailed head to another within the same minor head and within the same district, &c., communicated to the Presidency Port officer.	28th Sept.	845 B
Budget Estimate of the Agent for Government Consignments.—Proceedings, Financial Department, accepting with remarks, the—for 1898–99, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	4th Nov.	897 B
Provincial Contract.—Proceedings, Financial Department, communicating, with remarks, certain papers received from the Government of India on the subjects of the — and the budget estimates for 1897–98, recorded	5th ,,	905 B
Budget Estimates for 1898–99.—Memorandum from the Financial Department issuing instructions in connection with the preparation of —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	19th ,,	947 B
Do.—Proceedings, Financial Department, making certain additions to the rules relating to the preparation of — circulated with G.O., No. 602, Financial, dated 20th August 1895, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	24th ,,	958 B
Budget Esimates.—Proceedings, Financial Department, drawing the attention of officers in whose hands the control of expenditure rests to the necessity for the practice of the strictest economy in view to limiting expenditure to the budget grants during the current year, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	14th Dec.	1027 B
Do. Clock-winding charges.—Proceedings, Financial Department, stating that all contracts in regard to clock-winding in public offices should be terminated as early as practicable, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	17th ,,	1037 B
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Presidency. Custom House, Madras.—Renting of the existing premises—*Vide* " Rents."		

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Tanjore. Residence for the Port Officer at Negapatam.—Public Works Memorandum returning to Superintending Engineer, V Circle, for revision, plans and estimate for constructing a —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer.	13th Feb.	124 B
Vizagapatam. House for the Port Officer at Bimlipatam.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, communicating report that a new — is not wanted, communicated to Presidency Port officer	25th „	161 B
Letter from the Presidency Port officer stating that the question as to the necessity or not of a — is not to be considered settled, recorded	10th Mar.	217 B
Presidency. Port Office buildings, Madras.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, approving for sanction and execution when funds are available, estimates for improvements to the —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer ..	11th „	221 B
Malabar. Quarters with out-houses for the Port Officer at Calicut.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, sanctioning revised estimate of Rs. 18,160 for constructing —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	1st May.	406 B
Madura. Building occupied as quarters by the Port Officer at Pámban.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, sanctioning with remarks, the transfer to the Postal department of the —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer ..	6th „	432 B
Ganjám. Lighthouse buildings at Calingapatam.—The Presidency Port officer directed to submit an estimate of the cost of planting casuarina trees around the —	19th June	565 B
Do. Residence for the Port Officer at Gopalpur.—Orders stating that it is not practicable to provide funds at present for the purchase of a —	7th July	606 B
Orders stating that the final issue of the Excluded Local Funds budget contain no provision for the purchase of Mr. Minchins house for the use of the local Port officer and that no steps for its acquisition can thus to be taken at present	9th June	522 A
Presidency. Bonded Warehouse, Madras.—Orders requesting the Harbour Trust Board to state whether it is prepared to take over the — on the condition specified by the Board of Revenue	26th July	665 B
Do. Quarters occupied by the Deputy Conservator of the Port of Madras in the Port Office building at Madras.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, informing that if the — are to continue to be occupied rent-free, the improvements proposed to make them suitable as a permanent residence, cannot be carried out, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	2nd Aug.	686 B
Do. Quarters of the Deputy Conservator of the Port of Madras.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, regretting that the estimate of Rs. 5,209 for improvements to the — in the old High Court buildings, cannot be sanctioned, communicated to the Presidency Port officer. ..	14th Oct.	872 B

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Malabar. Residence for the Port Officer at Cochin.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, requesting the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, to expedite submission of the estimate for constructing a new — and withdrawing a sum of Rs. 10,000 from the grant for that work and adding it to the reserve under Excluded Local, Port Funds, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	7th Dec.	995 B
Tanjore. Quarters for Lightkeeper at Point Calimere.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, returning to the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, for sanction and execution, estimate of Rs. 1,690 for constructing —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	14th „	1028 B
BUILDINGS—GENERAL.		
Quarters for Lightkeepers.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, approving the proposals of the Executive Engineer, Lighthouse division, as regards plans and estimates for —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer.	26th Feb.	168 B
Residences for Government officials.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, ordering that a reminder be sent to the Government of India soliciting early disposal of the question of the revision of the rules relating to the purchase and construction of — and the rents to be charged for them, &c., communicated to the Presidency Port officer ..	21st May	475 B
Proceedings, Public Works Department, communicating reply of the Government of India to the above question, communicated to the Presidency Port officer.	17th June	546 B
Buildings. Fire insurance of—. Orders confirming the resolution of the Madras Harbour Trust Board authorizing the Chairman to effect — at his discretion and directing that the charges already incurred on this account be admitted.	25th „	576 A
Do. Protection of — from lightning.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, communicating letter from the India Office regarding the system adopted in the Trinity House Service for the — and on the subject of Mr. Ashpitel being allowed to communicate direct with manufacturers at home in regard to details of designs and construction of apparatus for lighthouse purposes, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	7th Sept.	784 B
BUOYS.		
Buoys for the Madras Harbour. Bill for Rs. 285 *for supply of teak beams for making fenders for—.* The payment of the —, sanctioned	4th Mar.	198 B
Do. Bills for Rs. 570 *do.*— Do.	6th April	330 B

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BUOYS—*cont.*	1897.	
Buoys for the Madras Harbour. Bill for Rs. 993–12–8 *for making fender for one large buoy and for supplying a buoy.*—The payment of the —, sanctioned	17th Aug.	729 A
Stern mooring buoy, Vizagapatam Port.—The proposed expenditure of Rs. 681 on the purchase of an anchor and chain required for the —, sanctioned	12th July	618 A
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CARGO.		
Goods. Storage of—. Proceedings, Revenue Department, considering that the Madras Harbour Trust Board should be allowed to undertake the — for the trade of Madras in the same manner as the Bombay Harbour Trust has done and desiring to have the views of the Chamber of Commerce before passing final orders on the subject, communicated to the Harbour Trust Board	6th Jan.	17 B
Grain cargoes.—Report from the Presidency Port officer as to how far the provisions of section 32 of Act VII of 1880 regarding the storage of — are being complied with by Port officers, recorded	28th May	494 B
CASUALTIES.		
Mr. A. Stevenson, Commander of the S.S. "Imperialist."—Intimation from the District Magistrate, Gódávari, of the death of — on board the steamer on 11th August 1897, recorded.	16th Sept.	809 B
Shipping Casualty Barque belonging to Cochin.—Report of the Presidency Port officer that a — had been sunk by the Asiatic Steam Navigation Company's steamer "Nawab", recorded and a report promised, awaited	6th Dec.	988 B
Telegram to the Government of Bengal inquiring whether that Government will summon a Court of Enquiry in Calcutta to investigate into the circumstances connected with the above and the vessel ordered to be detained at Madras meanwhile	9th "	1005 B
The papers in connection with the preliminary inquiry held at Tellicherry, ordered to be forwarded to the Bengal Government for use at the Court of Enquiry to be summoned by that Government and the Presidency Port officer directed to release the "Nawab" ..	11th "	1019–2021 B.
Letter from the Port officer, Cochin, containing particulars in regard to the crew of the late —, forwarded to the Government of Bengal	13th "	1024–25 B
CERTIFICATES.		
Master and Mate of the Barque "Henrietta Elizabeth."—Letter from the Colonial Secretary, Colombo, requesting that the — may be informed that their certificates are withdrawn, communicated to the Presidency Port officer for necessary action	17th May	460 B
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CERTIFICATES—*cont.*	1897.	
Ships load line Certificate.—Fee for the issue of a duplicate copy of a —. *Vide* Fees and Fines.		
Marine protests.—Orders authorising Port Conservators to note and extend — at places where there are no Notaries Public other than those appointed under the Negotiable Instruments Act and to use the forms draw up the Government Solicitor with the requisite modification	23rd April	371 A
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Coal which has paid harbour dues on landing at Madras.—The free reshipment of —, sanctioned and ordered to be notified	2nd Feb.	88 A
Coal. Weighment of —. Orders authorising the Madras Harbour Trust Board to amend the schedule of rates by cancelling the charge of one anna per ton for — on the Trusts weigh bridges and directing that the amended schedule be submitted to Government for sanction and publication	8th Dec.	1000 B
A draft notification amending the schedule of rates, sanctioned and ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	16th „	1031 A
CODES AND RULES.		
Regulations for preventing collisions at Sea—*Vide* Accidents.		
Rules under the Epidemic Diseases Act III of 1887—*Vide* Acts and Bills.		
Consular Regulations.—Report from the Presidency Port officer that if instances are given of the laxity among the British Shipping in Karikal in obeying the — brought to notice by the British Consular Agent, Pondicherry, measures might be taken to check it, communicated to the Public Department	2nd Mar.	177 B
Letter from the British Consular Agent, Pondicherry and Karikal, recorded with the remark that the Government does not see the necessity for issuing any special orders on the subject	26th April	375 A
Queen's Regulations and Admiralty Instructions—*Vide* Publications.		
Civil Leave and Pension Rules.—Proceedings, Financial Department, communicating letter from the Government of India stating that certain abstracts of — have been prepared and that officers requiring copies should be referred to the Superintendent, Government Printing, India, communicated to the Presidency Port officer and Chairman, Harbour Trust Board	15th Mar.	242 B
Rules for regulating the Personal Conduct of Government Servants.—Proceedings, Public Department, furnishing a second edition of the pamphlet containing — and directing that application for additional copies should be made to the Superintendent, Government Press, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	17th „	259 B

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"*Abstract of the principal Civil Leave and Pension Rules.*"—Proceedings, Financial Department, referring the Presidency Port officer, to the Superintendent, Government Printing, India, with reference to his application for copies of the —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	22nd April	365 B
Turkish Pilgrim Regulations of 1897.—Proceedings, Public Department, communicating correspondence received from the Government of India relative to the —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	28th May	495 B
Rule for regulating grant of leave.—Orders stating that the Harbour Trust Board has acted within its legal powers in framing a certain —	9th June	519 B
Boat Rules.—Orders approving the two additional — for the port of Tuticorin, amended as proposed by the Advocate-General and directing their publication in the Fort St. George, &c., Gazettes	24th „	573 A
Rules regulating the Personal Conduct of Government Servants.—Proceedings, Public Department, communicating Government of India resolution directing submission of a report by Civil officers on transfer to a new district of their pre-existing indebtedness, if any, to individual's resident thereon and making an addition to that effect to the —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	22nd July	654 B
Revised rules for the inspection of vessels.—The Government of Bombay asked when the supply of copies of the — outwards at the infected ports of the Bombay Presidency may be expected	2nd Aug.	690 B
Madras Hill Allowance Code.—Claims under the —. *Vide* Allowances and Salaries.		
Rules regarding the maintenance and verification of service books and submission of pension applications.—Proceedings, Pension Department, communicating for guidance a set of —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	26th July	667 B
Rules regulating the conduct of Government Servants.—Proceedings, Public Department, directing the distribution of copies of the addendum to the second edition of the pamphlet containing the — issued by the Government of India in respect of borrowing money, &c., recorded	19th Aug.	736 B
"*Burma Commercial Marine Rules Manual.*"—Letter from the Government of Burma forwarding five copies of the —, recorded	30th „	766 B
"*Instructions to Consuls.*"—Proceedings, Financial Department, forwarding copy of the — relating to the British Mercantile Marine revised to April 1888, recorded ..	11th Sept.	800 B
Cyclone Code.—Orders approving the revised — as amended and directing its publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* in supersession of all previous editions	17th „	811-2-3 A
Letter from the Presidency Port officer forwarding proof of the revised —, recorded	11th Dec.	1016 B

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Rules for the Personal Conduct of Public Servants.—Proceedings, Public Department, stating that the amendment proposed in Government Order, Public, dated 30th January 1896, to article 23 of the — regarding prohibition against money-lending to landholders cannot be effected without the previous sanction of the Government of India, &c., communicated to the Presidency Port officer	7th Oct.	859 B
Civil Service Regulations.—Proceedings, Financial Department, requesting the Superintendent, Government Press, to supply the Presidency Port officer with two additional copies of the —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer ..	12th Nov.	923 B
Travancore Epidemic Diseases Regulation II of 1073.—Proceedings, Political Department, recording letter from the Resident forwarding copies of the —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	3rd Dec.	978 B
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COMMITTEES.		
Minutes of the Proceedings of the Harbour Trust Board's meeting.—Copy of the — held on 4th December 1896, recorded ..	14th Jan.	47 B
Do.—Do. on 18th December 1896 do. ..	22nd ,,	66 B
Do.—Do. on 8th January 1897 do. ..	3rd Feb.	96 B
Do.—Do. on 22nd do. do. do. ..	9th ,,	107 B
Do.—Do. on 29th do. do. do. ..	13th ,,	131 B
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Do.—Do. on 26th February 1897 do. ..	23rd ,,	283 B
Do.—Do. on 12th March do. do. ..	12th April	355 B
Do.—Do. on 9th April do. do. ..	3rd May	417 B
Do.—Do. on 23rd do. do. do. ..	15th ,,	456 B
Do.—Do. on 7th May do. do. ..	1st June	499 B
Do.—Do. on 4th June do. do. ..	5th July	599 B
Do.—Do. on 18th do. do. do. ..	20th ,,	651 B
Do.—Do. on 2nd July do. do. ..	3rd Aug.	691 B
Do.—Do. on 16th do. do. do. ..	9th ,,	702 B
Do.—Do. on 30th do. do. do. ..	24th ,,	748 B
Do.—Do. on 13th August do. do. ..	7th Sept.	785 B
Do.—Do. on 27th do. do. do. ..	15th ,,	803 B

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Minutes of the Proceedings of the Harbour Trust Board's meeting.—Copy of the — on 3rd September 1897, recorded ..	27th Sept.	835 B
Do.—Do. on 17th do. do. do. ..	12th Oct.	866 B
Do.—Do. on 1st October do. do. ..	29th "	886 B
Do.—Do. on 15th do. do. do. ..	13th Nov.	926 B
Do.—Do. on 29th do. do. do. ..	29th "	966 B
Do.—Do. on 12th November do. do. ..	7th Dec.	997 B
Proceedings of the Gódávari District Ports Conservancy Board.—Copy of the —, dated 21st January 1897, recorded ..	26th Feb.	167 B
Do.—Do. 4th and 19th February 1897, do. ..	10th Mar.	218 B
Do.—Do. 27th February, 8th and 18th March 1897, recorded ..	27th April	379 B
Do.—Do. 12th and 22nd April 1897 do. ..	21st May	474 B
Do.—Do. 31st May do. do. ..	20th July	650 B
Do.—Do. 24th June do. do. ..	9th Aug.	704 B
Do.—Do. 29th July do. do. ..	16th Sept.	810 B
Do.—Do. 16th September do. do. ..	13th Nov.	925 B
Landing and Shipping Dues Committee, Vizagapatam.—Orders sanctioning the appointment of the gentlemen nominated as members of the — for 1897–98 to administer the funds collected under Act III of 1885	24th April	372 A
Committee of Management for the Masulipatam Port Improvement Fund.—Orders sanctioning the appointment of the gentlemen nominated as members of the — for 1897–98 ..	4th May	420 A
Durbar.—Proceedings, Public Department, directing that whenever a Collector, either under the instructions or with the sanction of Government, holds a —, all officers of all departments stationed at the head-quarters of the district should attend it, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	16th July	629 B
Landing and Shipping Dues Committee, Vizagapatam.—Orders appointing Mr. A. C. MacDonald to be a member of the — *vice* Mr. W. S. Lindsay, resigned	15th Nov.	932 B
Meeting of the Legislative Council. Draft answers to questions to be put at the — on 23rd November 1897.—Memorandum from the Legislative Department requesting to be furnished before 5 P.M. on 18th November 1897 with the —, recorded.	19th "	944 B
CONTRACTS AND CONTARCTORS.		
Freight contracts—*Vide* Rates and Fares and Stores.		

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CONTRACTS AND CONTRACTORS—*cont.*	1897.	
Lease in respect of a portion of the foreshore at Tuticorin to be reclaimed by Messrs. A. and F. Harvey & Co.—Vide Piers.		
COOLIES AND LABOURERS.		
Immigrant coolies.—Proceedings, Judicial Department, transferring letter from the Ceylon Government inviting opinion as to the adoption of certain precautionary measures against the black-mailing of —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer for remarks	2nd Mar.	176 B
CORRESPONDENCE.		
Method of dating initials.—Proceedings, Public Department, directing that — when it is necessary to add a date to initials or signature or to give a date without initials, the year as well as the date and month should be shown, communicated to the Presidency Port officer, &c.	27th Jan.	79 B
Letters to the Military Department.—Proceedings, Public Department, communicating instructions of the Government of India for addressing — which cannot reach Calcutta on or before the 16th March 1897, recorded	15th Mar.	240 B
Communications intended for the Home Department.—Proceedings, Public Department, communicating instructions of the Government of India in regard to addressing — which cannot reach Calcutta by 25th March 1897, recorded ..	17th „	254 B
Letters and telegrams to the Government of India, Legislative Department.—Proceedings, Public Department, communicating instructions for addressing — which cannot reach Calcutta by 22nd March 1897, recorded	19th „	268 B
Do. Finance and Commerce Department.—Proceedings, Public Department, communicating instructions for addressing — which cannot reach Calcutta by 20th March 1897, recorded.	19th „	270 B
Government Orders relating to the Bubonic Plague precautions.—Copies of certain —, forwarded to the Commissioner of Police, Madras	22nd „	277 B
Communication of Government Orders to Messrs. Binny & Co.—Orders stating that if any Government Order not published in the Gazette, applies to Messrs. Binny & Co. either as Shipping Agents or otherwise, it will be duly communicated to the firm	22nd „	278 B
Letters and telegrams intended for the Department of Revenue and Agriculture, Government of India.—Proceedings, Public Department, communicating instructions as to the dates up to which — should be addressed to Calcutta, recorded ..	23rd „	281 B
Communications intended for the Marine Department.—Letter to the Government of India requesting that all — which cannot reach Madras by 17th April 1897 may be addressed to Ootacamund	26th „	298 B

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CORRESPONDENCE—*cont.*	1897.	
Correspondence with the Deputy Adjutant-General.—Proceedings, Public Department, communicating the request of the Deputy Adjutant-General, Madras Command, that certain form of address be adopted, recorded	20th Feb.	141 B
Orders to the Sanitary Commissioner to Government.—Proceedings, Public Department, directing that, in future, — shall be issued, in, or through the Public Department except those in the Local and Municipal Department which should be sent to him direct, &c., recorded	3rd May	418 B
Proceedings, Public Department, issuing an erratum to the above Government Order, recorded	5th June	515 B
Papers intended for the Marine Department.—A notification stating that — should be addressed to the Secretary in that department and not the Chief Secretary, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	13th April	357 A
Correspondence between Collectors of Maritime Districts or other officials and Government.—Orders approving the proposal of the Presidency Port officer that — in connection with Maritime or Port Conservancy affairs at the several coast ports should pass through the Presidency Port officer ..	5th May	425 A
G.O., No. 363, *Marine, dated* 27*th April* 1897.—Orders directing the Superintendent, Government Press, to supply copies of — on payment to Messrs. Binny & Co. and to any other Steamer Agencies that may apply for them ..	18th "	463 B
Orders relating to the Season and Famine Relief operations.—Proceedings, Revenue Department, on Board's Proceedings requesting that all — be addressed to the Famine Secretary to the Board of Revenue, recorded	25th "	480 B
Correspondence.—Proceedings, Public Department, communicating letter from the Chief Secretary to the Deputy Adjutant-General, Madras Command, suggesting that, in future, — intended for this Government may be forwarded to the Secretary in the department to which the subject under reference relates, instead of to the Chief Secretary in every case, recorded	1st June	501 B
Government Orders. Communication of —. Proceedings, Public Department, reminding departments of the Secretariat that it is not the duty of the Public Department but of the Administrative Department concerned, to communicate its orders to such other departments as it may be necessary for communication to heads of departments under them, recorded	24th "	571 B
Government Orders regarding epidemic diseases.—Copies of certain — supplied to the Resident at Hyderabad and his request to be supplied with copies of all proceedings containing notification that may in future under the Epidemic Diseases Act, noted and communicated to the Local and Municipal Department	2nd July	594, 595 B
Government Orders of general import.—Public Works Department memorandum requesting that 60 copies of all printed — which require to be communicated to all heads of offices in the Public Works Department may be supplied to that department in future, recorded	16th "	632 B

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CORRESPONDENCE—*cont.*	1897.	
Papers—Certain — regarding the difficulties encountered by the Store Department of the India Office in shipping methylated spirits, &c., to the port of Vizagapatam, forwarded to the Government of India	19th Aug.	735 B
Communications intended for the Secretary to Government, Marine Department.—The Government of India asked that all — which cannot reach Ootacamund by 16th October 1897 may be addressed to Madras	2nd Oct.	852 B
G.O., No. 2530 W. dated 11th September 1897, regarding fee paid to Mr. F. W. Thorowgood for the preparation of certain plans in connection with the improvement of the Vizagapatam Harbour.—The Accountant-General furnished with a copy of —	13th „	868 B
Communications intended for the Military Department of the Government of India.—Proceedings, Public Department, communicating circular memorandum from the Government of India intimating the date up to which — may be addressed to Simla, recorded	10th Nov.	916 B
Communications addressed to Government and other officers regarding the Bubonic Plague.—Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, directing that all — should be marked with the word "Plague" in red ink on the outside covers and on the papers themselves, recorded	20th „	949 B
Correspondence.—Proceedings, Public Department, communicating extract from a despatch from the Secretary of State suggesting that officers in India should be cautioned against communicating in their official capacities with private companies, inventors or manufacturers, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	20th „	950 B
Communications.—Proceedings, Public department, issuing certain amended rules regarding the form in which — should be submitted to Government, communicated to the Presidency Port officer and the Chairman, Harbour Trust Board	20th „	951 B
G.O., No. 695, Marine, dated 8th October 1896, containing a list of periodical reports and returns to be submitted to the Marine Department.—A copy of — supplied to the Public Department for transmission to the Resident in Mysore	4th Dec.	982 B
Reference from Government regarding irregularities in the grant of bills of health at Pámban brought to notice by the Colonial Secretary, Colombo.—Orders accepting the explanation of the Presidency Port officer of certain delay in replying to a —.	10th „	1011 B
Government Orders.—Orders directing that certain — be translated into the vernaculars and forwarded to the Superintendent, Government Press, to be set in type and distributed to Collectors of Maritime districts for issue with the District Gazettes	14th „	1030 A
Proceedings of Government affecting Cocanada port.—Orders stating that the required additional copies of printed — and affairs with which the Gódávari District Ports Board are concerned, will be supplied through the Presidency Port officer to the Board	12th Nov.	922 B

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COURTS OF INQUIRY.	1897.	
Barque "Henritta Elizabeth." Court of Inquiry into the circumstances connected with the foundering at sea of the — while on a voyage from Negapatam to Nancowry.—Orders on report of the —	16th Mar.	251, 252 A
Orders calling for particulars regarding the inspection of the — at Negapatam	28th April	386 A
British Barque "Colonel Fytche" Court of further inquiry in the case of the foundering of the — off Nancowry in July 1896.—Orders stating that it is not desirable to summon a — ..	16th Mar.	246 B
Steam Ship "Nawab".—Telegram to the Government of Bengal enquiring whether that Government will summon a Court of Inquiry in Calcutta to investigate into the circumstances connected with the collision between the — and a barque belonging to Cochin	9th Dec.	1005 B
The papers in connection with the preliminary inquiry held at Tellicherry ordered to be forwarded to the Government of Bengal for use at the Court of Inquiry to be summoned by that Government	11th „	1019-20-21 B
Letter from the Port officer, Cochin, containing particulars in regard to the crew of the barque forwarded to the Government of India for the information of the Court of Inquiry	13th „	1024, 25 B
Orders approving the action of the Presidency Port officer in the matter of securing the attendance of the witnesses at the Court of Inquiry	18th „	1045 B
CYCLONES.		
Storm Signals.—Letter from the Government of India forwarding a modified scheme of — for the Indian Coast Ports (except those in the river Hooghly), ordered to be published in the Fort St. George, &c., Gazettes	14th Oct.	871 A
Orders requesting the Presidency Port officer to defer the introduction of the revised — until the new Cyclone Code is issued and until arrangements can be made for getting the signals into working order ..	9th Dec.	1002 B
Lamps required for the 19 ports in the Madras Presidency at which the new system of — is to be worked — *Vide* Flags and Flagstaves.		
The Government of India asked to report the date on which they propose to introduce the modified scheme of — throughout India	2nd „	975 B
Orders stating that His Excellency the Governor in Council will have no objection to the 1st April 1898 as the date for the introduction into the Madras Presidency of the new system of —	11th „	1014, 1015 A
The Government of India informed that the new system of — can be introduced at Madras and Negapatam as soon as the lamps ordered from Calcutta arrive and that for other ports until the lamps ordered from England arrive	13th „	1023 B

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CYCLONES—*cont.*	1897.	
Storm signals.—The Government of India informed that the 1st April is approved for introduction of the new scheme of —.	23rd Dec.	1050 B
Storm warnings.—Orders stating that His Excellency the Governor in Council has no objection to the Superintendent of Telegraphs, Madras Division, being included on the list of officers to whom — are to be communicated and directing that the Meteorological Reporter to the Government of India be requested to arrange accordingly	9th „	1003 1004 A
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DAMS.		
Cruz Milagre Dam, Cochin.—Copy of report relative to the breaching of the foreshore of the —, recorded	18th June	553 B
DISMISSALS AND PUNISHMENTS.		
Mr. C. M. Brisson, an employé in the Government Press.—Proceedings, Public Department, ordering the removal from the service of — on account of indebtedness, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	4th Jan.	9 B
DISTRICTS AND DIVISIONS.		
Lighthouse Division.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, declining to authorize the formation of sub-divisions in the — until the preliminary arrangements for construction are begun and permitting Mr. Ashpitel, Executive Engineer, to correspond direct with the Chief Engineer, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	26th Jan.	74 B
DRAINS.		
Drain near Fort St. George, Madras.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, sanctioning the lump sum estimate of Rs. 9,000 for extending the outfall main —, communicated to the Chairman, Harbour Trust Board	26th Aug.	758 B
E		
ESTABLISHMENT.		
Keeper for the Madras Lighthouse.—Orders directing the entertainment, in anticipation of formal sanction to the creation of the post of a — on the new scale, *i.e.*, a man on Rs. 40.	4th Jan.	10 A
Letter from the Accountant-General stating that proposition statement for a — can be temporarily sanctioned and is necessary and that the Presidency Port officer's proposals for filling up the place are not admissible, communicated to the latter officer for guidance.	13th Feb.	121 B
~~*Light-keepers to look after the groynes lights at Cocanada.*~~—Orders directing that G.O., No. 10, Marine, dated 4th January 1897, be so far modified as to permit of the appointment of Mr. Cotterill as permanent Lighthouse Superintendent, Madras, on Rs. 100 with retrospective effect from 18th June 1895	4th Mar.	197 A

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ESTABLISHMENT—*cont.*	1897.	
~~*Light-keepers to look after the groynes lights at Cocanada.*~~—Further Government Order directing that the above orders be maintained, permitting Mr. Cotterill to retain the house-rent allowance of Rs. 25 per mensem and stating that the Acting Lighthouse Superintendent, Madras, may also be confirmed under the new scale	27th Sept.	844 B
Madras Harbour. Executive control of the—. Orders on letter from the Chairman, Harbour Trust Board, regarding certain matters connected with the —	11th Jan.	35 A
Assistant Pier Clerk at Tuticorin.—Proceedings, Educational Department, requesting that a formal application be submitted specifying the name and educational qualification of the person selected for the post of —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	11th "	28 B
Light-keepers to look after the groynes lights at Cocanada.—Proposition statement for the entertainment for six months of two temporary —, sanctioned	8th "	21 B
The sanction accorded in the above Government Order extended for a further period of six months.	19th June and 30th Nov.	559 and 971 B
Lighthouse Establishment.—Orders approving, with certain exceptions, the proposals of the Presidency Port officer in connection with the re-organization of the —	27th Jan.	75 A
Assistant Superintendent of Customs at the Tuticorin Port.—Proceedings, Revenue Department, approving the entertainment of an —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer and the report called for as to how it is proposed to alter the office hours of the Sea Customs office at that port so as to meet the requirements of the altered train and Steamer Service awaited	8th Feb.	102 B
Mr. S. Mainguy, Patrolling officer, Cocanada.—Orders declining to sanction any further extension of service of —	15th "	132 B
Type-writing Clerk in Government offices.—Proceedings, Educational Department, ordering that from 1st January 1898 candidates for the post of — should have passed the Government Technical Examination in type-writing, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	26th "	171 B
Establishment required for the inspection of all vessels arriving at the port of Cochin.—Orders sanctioning, as a temporary measure, the charges amounting to Rs. 57-8-0 per mensem for the entertainment of certain —	26th "	173 B
P. V. Seshagiri Rau.—The exemption of — from the operation of the "25 years age" order in view to his being appointed boat overseer at Cocanada, sanctioned ..	15th Mar.	238 B
Boats Crew for the Harbour Masters, Madras.—The proposition statement for the entertainment of a third — sanctioned	15th "	241 B
Establishment of the Port officer, Cochin.—Orders sanctioning the retention up to 31st March 1898 of each of certain subordinates in the — who are above 62 years of age ..	12th April	350 A

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ESTABLISHMENT—*cont.*	1897.	
Gopalasawmy Nayudu, Pensioned Havildar.—Proceedings, Educational Department, exempting — from the Examination Rules for employment as assistant pier clerk, Tuticorin port, communicated to the Presidency Port officer and travelling allowance from Trichinopoly to Tuticorin, sanctioned	28th April	388 B
Menial servants of Biden Home.—The action of the Chairman, Harbour Trust Board, in increasing the wages of the — from 1st April 1897, approved	6th May	429 B
Copyist in the office of the Presidency Port officer, Madras.—Proceedings, Financial Department, sanctioning proposition statement for a small increase of pay for a —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	6th ,,	431 B
Proceedings, Financial Department, stating that the sanction accorded in the above Government Order will have retrospective effect from the 19th August 1896 on certain understanding, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	24th June	570 B
Establishment for the light at Hangarkotta.—Proceedings, Financial Department, sanctioning the proposition statement for the —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	14th May	448 B
Port Fund establishments.—Proceedings, Financial Department, on letter from the Accountant-General replying to the question whether there is any objection to sanction of the Marine Department to proposition statements on account of — being communicated to him direct by that department, communicated to the Presidency Port officer with direction to submit all proposition statements through the Accountant-General	22nd ,,	476 B
Lighthouse establishment at Calingapatam. Sweepers for the —. Orders declining to sanction the entertainment of a — ..	1st June	506 B
Establishment for the new port boat for Negapatam.—The proposition statement for certain —, sanctioned with remarks	23rd July	660 B
Lighthouse and Signalling establishment at Tuticorin.—The proposition statement for temporarily increasing the pay of the — sanctioned pending the introduction of the revised scale of lighthouse establishment	24th ,,	663 B
Lighthouse Establishments.—Orders approving the proposition statement for the re-organization of the — of the Madras Presidency and directing that it be forwarded to the Government of India for sanction	29th ,,	679, 680 A
Sanction of the Government of India, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	21st Sept.	822 A
Orders agreeing with the Accountant-General in his interpretation of certain orders of Government regarding —	7th Dec.	994 B
Clerk for the Calicut pier.—The proposition statement for the entertainment of a — sanctioned with remarks	9th Aug.	701 B

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ESTABLISHMENT—*cont.*	1897.	
Establishment. Harbour Master's —. Vide Officers and Subordinates, General.		
Establishments entertained solely for famine work.—Proceedings, Financial Department, on letter from the Accountant-General stating that the submission of a proposition statement in case of — may be dispensed with, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	7th Oct.	858 B
Fireman sanctioned for the Dredger "Havelock".—Pay of the two — *Vide* Allowances and Salaries.		
Patrol Inspector.—Orders sanctioning the continued employment during 1897–98 of a — on Rs. 30 per mensem at the Cocanada port	6th Dec.	986 B
EXAMINATIONS.		
Gopalaswami Nayudu, Pensioned Havildar.—Proceedings, Educational Department, exempting — from the Examination Rules for employment as assistant pier clerk, Tuticorin port, communicated to the Presidency Port officer and travelling allowance from Trichinopoly to Tuticorin, sanctioned	28th April	388 B
Lighthouse Superintendents, &c.—Proceedings, Educational Department, stating that the Government is unable to see that any further relaxation of the examination rules is required in favour of —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	5th July	596 B
Examination in Type-writing.—Proceedings, Educational Department, ordering that candidates for the post of Type-writing clerk be required to have passed the elementary — if the pay of the post is less than Rs. 20 per mensem and intermediate examination if the pay is Rs. 20 or upwards, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	14th "	623 B
University Examiners. Examiners Fees.—Proceedings, Educational Department, communicating the modification of article 91 (*c*) of the Civil Service Regulations in respect of — ordered by the Government of India, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	29th "	676 B
Tiddu Gurayya.—Proceedings, Educational Department, exempting — from passing the primary examination in view of his employment as a flagstaff lascar at Bimlipatam, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	24th Nov.	957 B
EXPENDITURE.		
Expenditure.—Letter from the Presidency Port officer enquiring whether the recent orders in regard to restricting — are applicable to the Port Fund, recorded	4th Jan.	12 B
Proceedings, Financial Department, intimating that the restriction on — of Government money apply to expenditure from excluded Local Funds, recorded ..	4th "	13 B
Expenditure incurred on account of the move of Government to the Hills in 1896.—Proceedings, Financial Department, forwarding to the Home Government a statement showing the —, recorded	3rd April	326 B

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EXPENDITURE—*cont.*	1897.	
Expenditure incurred on account of centage charges in connection with the extension of groynes at Cocanada.—Orders directing that the — be charged against the Cocanada Landing and shipping dues in the civil accounts	20th July	652 B
Expenditure not exceeding Rs. 100 per annum, in affording relief to distressed British Subjects in Pondicherry.—Proceedings, Public Department, authorizing the British Consular Agent, Pondicherry, to incur an —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	2nd Aug.	688 B
Outlay in excess of appropriation.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, directing that the view of the Examiner that — of Rs. 500 and less under funds other than Imperial and Provincial noticed after the close of the official year need not be reported for sanction of Government, and that only excess of over Rs. 500 should be treated as objectionable, be adhered to in future, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	11th Sept.	796 B
Proceedings, Public Works Department, issuing an addendum to the above Government Order	12th Oct.	865 B
Cash balances and expenditure.—Proceedings, Financial Department, communicating Government of India resolution requesting that all practicable steps may be taken to economise the cash balances and to postpone all Government transactions involving outlay in India till the beginning of January 1898, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	15th Sept.	804 B
Contingent Expenditure.—Proceedings, Financial Department, approving the Accountant-General's proposals for revising the system of audit and record of — and calling upon him to frame a consolidated circular embracing all rules and regulations connected therewith, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	17th Dec.	1036 B
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FAMINE.		
Famine.—Proceedings, Revenue Department, stating that the attention of all Collectors and Superintending Engineers should be drawn to the necessity of being fully prepared to start relief operations in the event of any possible increase of distress in the Presidency consequent upon even a partial failure of the next south-west monsoon, recorded ..	26th May	489 B
Substitutes for officers deputed on famine duty.—Proceedings, Revenue Department, directing that the ruling made in 1877 that acting allowances only are admissible in the case of — be followed during the present famine, recorded	12th Oct.	864 B
FEES AND FINES.		
Fees.—Orders considering that the prescribed — for a Port officer's attendance on the occasion of a vessel entering or clearing out of office hours or on a close holiday, should be levied whether the work is done by the Port officer himself or by any other Government servant on his behalf.	10th Feb.	111 A

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FEES AND FINES—*cont.*	1897.	
Fees for using the Buckingham Canal.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, declining to exempt the top boat maintained for the use of the Armeghan Lighthouse establishment from paying —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	16th Mar.	245 B.
Fees to the Port Health officer, Cocanada— Vide Vessels.		
Fee for the issue of a duplicate copy of ship's load line certificate.—The Government of India informed that this Government concurs in the proposal to charge a —	2nd Sept.	772 B
A notification fixing a — of Rs. 5, ordered to be published in the Fort St. George and Maritime District Gazettes	23rd Nov.	956 A
Fee for audit of the Madras Harbour works construction accounts.—Orders stating that Government should be furnished at an early date with the reasons for the delay in the payment of the prescribed —	6th Sept.	779 A
Report of the Chairman, Harbour Trust Board, that the — for 1896–97 due to the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, was paid on the 20th September 1897, &c., communicated to the Examiner	23rd „	829 B
FLAGS AND FLAGSTAVES.		
Flagstaff at Cannanore.—The charge for the supply of a new spar for the —, sanctioned	20th May	471 A
Letter from the Presidency Port officer submitting explanation in connection with the supply of a new spar for the —, recorded	30th Aug.	767 B
Storm Signals. Lamps.—The local purchase of six 10 inch — for supply to Madras and Negapatam, approved and directing that an indent be submitted by the Presidency Port officer for the balance of the 60 lamps required for 19 ports at which the new system of — is to be worked	26th Nov.	965 B
Telegram to the Secretary of State requesting that 60 signal lamps of certain description be forwarded by first steamer to the Port officer, Madras	30th „	971/A B
Special indent of 60 —, forwarded to the Home Government for compliance	7th Dec.	991, 992 B
FORESTS.		
State Forests. Articles extracted from —. Proceedings, Revenue Department, communicating Government of India resolution laying down the conditions under which the Forest Department may charge another Government department for —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	23rd Aug.	742 B
FUNDS.		
Mangalore Backwater. Funds (Rs. 40) for taking soundings in the—. Proceedings, Public Works Department, allotting —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer ..	9th Jan.	24 B

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FUNDS—*cont.*	1897.	
Excluded Local Funds.—Proceedings, Financial Department, recording the revised final account of — for March 1896, recorded	8th Jan.	22 B
Do.— Madras Presidency for 1895–96, recorded	14th „	42 B
Sea wall at Tellicherry. Funds (Rs. 330) for urgent repairs to the —. Proceedings, Public Works Department, allotting —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer ..	11th „	30 B
Latrine in the compound of the flagstaff at Cuddalore Old Town. Funds (Rs. 60) for constructing a —. Proceedings, Public Works Department, providing —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	11th „	29 B
Lightning conductor of the Lighthouse at Seven Pagodas. Funds (Rs. 11) for excavating pits for testing the —. Proceedings, Public Works Department, allotting —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	15th „	49 B
Quarters and latrine for the Lighthouse Superintendent, &c., at Calingapatam.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, reserving and crediting to the reserve under excluded Local Port Funds, the sum surrendered from the grant for constructing —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	26th „	73 B
Port boundary pillars at Sonapur and Baruva.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, withdrawing and crediting to the reserve the allotments sanctioned for repairs to the —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	28th „	82 B
Mr. Maiden's house at Masulipatam. Funds (Rs. 132) for purchasing and repairing — for use as a residence for the Port officer.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, allotting additional —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	3rd Feb.	94 B
Port officer's quarters at Vizagapatam. Funds (Rs. 1,000) for constructing —. Proceedings, Public Works Department, allotting — communicated to the Presidency Port officer ..	16th „	134 B
Port and Marine Funds of the Madras Presidency.—Orders approving and directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of the statement showing the financial position of the — on 31st March 1896	22nd „	147 A
Proceedings, Financial Department, authorizing the Accountant-General to carry out certain adjustments referred to in the above Government Order, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	2nd April	325 B
Drain in the compound of the Presidency Port Office building. Funds (Rs. 77) for removing silt from the —. Proceedings, Public Works Department, allotting —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	2nd Mar.	185 B
River jetties at Cocanada. Funds (Rs. 8,000) for the —. Proceedings, Public Works Department, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	5th „	201 B

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FUNDS—*cont.*	1897.	
Cruz Milagre Dam, Cochin. Funds (Rs. 353) for works in the Vypur foreshore near the —. Proceedings, Public Works Department, providing — communicated to the Presidency Port officer	16th Mar.	244 B
Tuticorin pier. Allotment of Rs. 2,500 for protecting the T head of the —. Proceedings, Public Works Department, making an —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer ..	16th "	250 B
Lightkeepers' quarters, &c., at Calingapatam.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, on report of Superintending Engineer, I Circle, that the additional grant of Rs. 18 applied for is for completing the repairs to the —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	26th "	301 B
Madras Harbour. Debenture loan.—Proceedings, Financial Department, requesting the Government of India that the question regarding the issue of a — of 50 lakhs of Rupees by the Harbour Trust Board may be allowed to remain in abeyance for sometime, communicated to the Chairman, Harbour Trust Board	30th "	310 B
Proceedings, Financial Department, communicating the request of the Government of India that the sanction accorded by it for the raising of the debenture loan may be considered as cancelled, communicated to the Chairman	28th May	496 B
Proceedings, Financial Department, on letter from the Government of India declining to reconsider the orders conveyed in the above Government Order, communicated to the Chairman of the Board	29th Oct.	888 B
Lighthouse at Calicut. Funds (Rs. 10) for repairs to the wire-fence round the —. Proceedings, Public Works Department, providing —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer.	30th Mar.	309 B
Funds for Lighthouse improvements.—Proceedings, Financial Department, recording papers connected with the — pending disposal of the question referred to in the Government Order regarding ports and port fund accounts, recorded ..	31st "	317 B
Jetty at Mangalore. Funds (Rs. 20) for taking borings near the existing wooden —. Proceedings, Public Works Department, allotting —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer.	5th April	329 B
Port boundary pillars at Calicut. Funds (Rs. 250) for constructing two —. Proceedings, Public Works Department, allotting — communicated to the Presidency Port officer ..	6th "	337 B
Tuticorin Pier.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, surrendering the available balance under excluded Local Port Funds in view to a sum of Rs. 23,000 being placed at the disposal of the Presidency Port officer to meet charges for the supply of cranes and trucks to the —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	10th "	348 B
Proceedings, Public Works Department, on Financial Government Order authorizing the Accountant-General to place Rs. 23,000 at the disposal of the Presidency Port officer for the supply of cranes and trucks to the —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer.	15th May	405 B

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FUNDS—*cont.*	1897.	
Madras Pilotage Funds.—The proposal of the Presidency Port officer that he should, as Controlling officer, countersign all receipts and charges of the —, approved	10th May	439 A
River Jetties at Coconada. Funds for extending the —. Proceedings, Public Works Department, sanctioning a transfer of —, recorded	19th „	464 B
Excluded Local Funds.—Proceedings, Financial Department, recording preliminary account of — for March 1897, recorded	25th „	481 B
Port Funds.—Proceedings, Financial Department, requesting the Accountant-General to place the additional sum of Rs. 52,567 at the disposal of the Public Works Department from —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer ..	21st „	472 B
Presidency Port office building. Funds (Rs. 50) for the premises in the — occupied by the Executive Engineer, Lighthouse Division.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, allotting —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	16th June	537 B
Backwater at Ponani. Funds (Rs. 3) for surveying the —. Proceedings, Public Works Department, allotting—, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	16th „	538 B
Boundary pillars at Gopalpore and the port marks at Sonapore and Baruwa. Grant of Rs. 420 for repairing the —. Proceedings, Public Works Department, withdrawing and crediting to the reserve under excluded Local Port the —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	17th „	541 B
Lighthouse and Lightkeepers' quarters at Seven Pagodas. Funds (Rs. 16) for repairs to —. Proceedings, Public Works Department, allotting —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	17th „	542 B
Port officer's Bungalow at Masulipatam. Funds (Rs. 190) for repairs to the —. Proceedings, Public Works Department, allotting —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	19th „	563 B
Additional grants. Applications for —. Proceedings, Financial Department, communicating the instructions of the Government of India to the effect that the budget and not the revised estimate should be made the basis of —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	1st July	584 B
Funds.—Proceedings, Financial Department, requesting the Accountant-General to place Rs. 300 at the disposal of the Collector of Ganjám, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	5th „	600 B
Port officer's residence at Coconada. Funds (Rs. 42) for repairs to the —. Proceedings, Public Works Department, providing —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer ..	6th „	603 B
Quarters of the Deputy Port Conservator, Madras.—Funds (Rs. 72) for repairs to outbuildings attached to the —. Proceedings, Public Works Department providing —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	6th „	604 B

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FUNDS—*cont.*	1897.	
Signal station and the Lightkeepers' quarters at Cuddalore. Funds (Rs. 300) for repairing the —. Proceedings, Public Works Department providing —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	19th July	614 B
Channel through the Sand bank in the Narasapur river in the Gódávari District. Funds (Rs. 500) for cutting a —. Proceedings, Public Works Department providing —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	19th „	645 B
Cruz Milagre Dam. Funds (Rs. 2) for taking levels at the —. Proceedings, Public Works Department, allotting —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	29th „	677 B
Diver's store and Salvage rooms. Funds (Rs. 788) for improvements and repairs to the — attached to the Port office building, Madras. Proceedings, Public Works Department, allotting —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer ..	2nd Aug.	683 B
Groynes J and L at Vypeen. Funds (Rs. 160) for repairs to —. Proceedings, Public Works Department, allotting —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	2nd „	684 B
Marine Funds.—Correspondence in connection with the proposed opening of a register of sanctions under — in the Secretariat, recorded	11th „	723 B
Pilotage Funds.—Proceedings, Financial Department, directing that the invested balances of certain — may be regarded as belonging to the Port Fund groups concerned, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	10th „	711 B
Sacramento Lighthouse. Funds (Rs. 72) for repairs to the —. Proceedings, Public Works Department, allotting —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	23rd „	743 B
Presidency Port office building. Funds (Rs. 27) for urgent repairs to the signaller's room in the —. Proceedings, Public Works Department, allotting —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	23rd „	744 B
Paddle boat. Funds (Rs. 760) being cost of the — for the Lighthouse division. Proceedings, Public Works Department, allotting —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	24th „	751 B
Port Funds. Funds under excluded Local — for incomplete works.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, referring for consideration in the Financial Department the question of providing the requisite — of 1896-97 and for new works proposed to be undertaken in 1897-98, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	24th „	752 B
Port Funds.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, issuing an erratum in the statement accompanying G.O., No. 527, dated 24th August 1897, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	20th Sept.	816 B
Cruz Milagre Dam. Funds (Rs. 200) for filling in the erosion at north end of the —. Proceedings, Public Works Department, allotting —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	2nd „	775 B

	Date of Proceedings.	Nos.
FUNDS—*cont.*	1897.	
Port Funds.—Proceedings, Financial Department, requesting the Accountant-General to place Rs. 19,084 at the disposal of the Public Works Department from —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	6th Sept.	781 B
Excluded Local Funds.—Proceedings, Financial Department, recording final account of — for March 1897, recorded ..	8th „	788 B
Local Funds.—Proceedings, Financial Department, forwarding to the Government of India the statement showing the Income, Expenditure and Balance of — for 1896–97, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	11th „	794 B
Budget allotments—Vide Budgets.		
Funds for planting a casurina tope near the Calingapatam Lighthouse — Vide Lighthouses.		
Funds other than Imperial and Provincial.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, issuing an addendum in G.O., No. 2407 W., dated 31st August 1897, regarding sanctions for outlay in excess of appropriation under —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	12th Oct.	865 B
Port Funds. Contribution from — towards the support of hospitals or dispensaries.—Letter from the Presidency Port officer explaining his statement relative to —, recorded ..	25th Nov.	962 B
G		
GRATUITIES AND PENSIONS.		
Mr. G. Gunther, Foreman, Mechanic, Madras Harbour Works.—Remarks of the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, on application from — for a gratuity in respect of his service under Government prior to the constitution of the Harbour Trust, communicated to the Chairman with remarks ..	3rd May	412 B
Menial offices.—Proceedings, Pension Department, declaring under Article 382, Civil Service Regulations, that future incumbents of certain classes of — shall not be eligible for pension, communicated to the Presidency Port officer ..	15th July	625 B
Pe[illegible].—Proceedings, Financial Department, on letter from the Government of India stating that only acting allowances drawn by an officer appointed provisionally under Article 109 or Sub *pro tem.*, under Article 110, Civil Service Regulations, should be taken into account in calculating —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	6th Oct.	856 B
Native Military Pensioners.—Employment of — in civil capacities—*Vide* Appointments and Promotions.		
GROYNES.		
South groyne at the Cocanada Port.—The Presidency Port officer directed to inform the Gódávari District Ports Conservancy Board that no action in regard to the opening of the gap in the — is to be taken without the consent of the Superintending Engineer and reference to Government through the Presidency Port officer	3rd May	409B

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GROYNES—*cont.*	1897.	
Groynes at Cocanada.—Orders directing that the expenditure on account of centage charges in connection with the extension of — be charged against the Cocanada landing and shipping dues in the Civil accounts	20th July	652 A
Orders directing that the expenditure on the extension of the — be met, in the first instance, from Port Funds of the eastern group and subsequently charged off to the landing and shipping dues of the port as money comes in and that the Committee be asked to consider whether the landing and shipping dues should not be raised at once	22nd ,,	657 A
H		
HOSPITALS AND DISPENSARIES.		
Municipal, local and other hospitals and dispensaries.—Proceedings, Financial Department, passing orders regarding the contributions paid by Government to certain —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	11th Mar.	219 B
Hospitals or Dispensaries.—Letter from the Presidency Port officer explaining his statement relative to contributions from Port Funds towards the support of —, recorded ..	25th Nov.	962 B
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INDENTS.		
Indent for burners for lighthouses.—Proceedings, Financial Department, communicating sanction of the Secretary of State to the compliance with the —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	16th Jan.	55 B
Indent for heavy mineral oil for use in the lighthouses of the Presidency.—Orders directing with remarks that the half-yearly — be forwarded to the India office for compliance ..	10th April	346, 347 B
Indent for oil for lighthouses.—Proceedings, Financial Department, communicating despatch from the Secretary of State stating that he has sanctioned compliance with the —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	19th June	560 B
Indent for fittings for the Dredger "Wenlock."—Orders directing that an — be transmitted to the Home Government for early compliance	16th Oct.	880 A
Indent for heavy mineral oil for use in the lighthouses of the Madras Presidency.—Orders directing that an — be forwarded to the Home Government for compliance	10th Nov.	913, 914 B
Special indent for 60 Storm Signal lamps—Vide Flags and Flagstaves.		

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	1897.	
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JUDICIAL AND LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENTS.		
Prosecution of the owner or owners of the Barque "Henrietta Elizabeth."—Proceedings, Judicial Department, requesting the District Magistrate, Tanjore, to take steps for the — under section 5 of the Indian Merchant Shipping Act VII of 1880, communicated to the Presidency Port officer.	17th May	461 B
Legislative Council.—Proceedings, Legislative Department, requesting the Madras Municipal Commission and the several District Municipalities and District Boards to recommend candidates for nomination to the — and issuing certain instructions in connection therewith, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	26th „	486 B
Criminal prosecution against the clerk and the bill-collector of the Landing and Shipping dues office, Masulipatam.—The Presidency Port officer informed that the result of the — for certain defalcations will be awaited	29th July	681 B
Legislative Council.—Proceedings, Legislative Department, communicating questions asked at the meeting of the — held on 23rd November 1897 and the answers given thereto, recorded	3rd Dec.	979 B
Legal Proceedings.—Proceedings, Judicial Department, considering that it is undesirable that one department of Government should institute — against another department without the special sanction of Government, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	4th „	981 B
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LANDS.		
Land north of the Madras Harbour.—Proceedings, Revenue Department, recording letter from the Chairman, Harbour Trust Board, requesting that certain — may be handed over to the Board at an estimated value of Rs. 600 or 700, recorded	10th Feb.	110 B
Land at Tuticorin to be reclaimed by Messrs. Harvey & Co.—Orders stating that there is no objection to the — being leased to the firm at the nominal rental suggested by the Collector	30th Mar.	311 A
Forest lands.—Proceedings, Revenue Department, referring to the Board of Revenue letter from the Presidency Port officer requesting that arrangements may be made for the temporary acquisition of certain — for purposes of a lighthouse, communicated to the Presidency Port officer ..	4th Aug.	694 B
Land Acquisition Act. Proceedings under the —. Proceedings, Revenue Department, considering that — should not be resorted to by one department for the purpose of obtaining land in the possession and use of another especially without reference to the head of that department, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	23rd „	741 B

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LANDS—*cont.*	1897.	
Baliapatam fish-curing yard.—Proceedings, Revenue Department, directing the publication of the draft notification declaring the — a port for carrying on coasting trade with Tuticorin under the designation of Thekkumbegam, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	9th Sept.	789 B
Lands in Tondiarpet.—Proceedings, Revenue Department, agreeing with the Board that there are no grounds for granting certain — free of cost to the Madras Municipality but that they may be given to the Municipality on lease subject to certain conditions, communicated to the Chairman, Harbour Trust Board	11th „	792 B
LIGHTHOUSES.		
Lighthouse at Madras. Keeper for the —. Orders directing the entertainment in anticipation of formal sanction to the creation of the post of a — on the new scale, *i.e.*, a man on Rs. 40 per mensem	4th Jan.	10 A
Lighthouse and subsidiary buildings at False Point Divi in Kistna district.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 1,13,240 for constructing a —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	24th Mar.	287 B.
Proceedings, Financial Department, recording pending final orders on the revision of Port Fund accounts the above Public Works Proceedings recorded with remarks	27th April	382 B
Light at Alleppy.—Report of the Resident in Travancore that the Commercial Agent at Alleppy has been instructed to proceed expeditiously with the work of increasing the speed of the port, recorded	12th „	352 A
Lighthouse at Negapatam. — Proceedings, Public Works Department, on report of inspection of the — by the Executive Engineer, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	17th May	457 B
Tuticorin (Hare Island) Lighthouse.— Proceedings, Public Works Department, communicating report of Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, that the total outlay on the work of repairs to the — up to end of March 1897 has been Rs. 166 and that the balance of the revised estimate, viz., Rs. 84 will be met from the lump sum grant of Rs. 200 provided in the preliminary issue of the excluded Local Fund budget for 1897-98 for repairs to the lighthouse in question, communicated to the Presidency Port officer ..	17th June	547 B
Lighthouse at Manapaud.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 46,250 for constructing a — in the Tinnevelly district, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	2nd July	592 B
Lighthouse at Sacramento.—Proceedings, Revenue Department, approving the action of the Board of Revenue in directing the temporary exclusion of the — with outbuildings from the proposed Kandikuppa Forest reserve in Gódávari district, communicated to the Presidency Port officer and Public Works Department	14th Oct.	873 A

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LIGHTHOUSES—*cont.*	1897.	
Calingapatam Lighthouse. Casuarina tope near —. Proceedings, Financial Department, requesting the Accountant-General to place Rs. 246 at the disposal of the Collector of Ganjâm from Port funds for planting a —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	12th Oct.	860 B
Lighthouse at Negapatam.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, approving and returning to the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, for sanction and early execution, an estimate of Rs. 450 for repairs to the —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	26th Nov.	964 B
LIGHTHOUSES—GENERAL.		
Lighthouse lanterns.—Drawings of —. *Vide* Maps and Plans.		
Lighthouses. Burners for —. Proceedings, Financial Department, communicating sanction of the Secretary of State to the compliance with the indent for —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	16th Jan.	55 B
Lights. Intensities of certain —. Copy of Trinity House calculations of the —, communicated to the officers concerned for information and guidance	24th Mar.	288 A
Do. Exhibition of —. Orders in regard to the period of notice of the — to be given to mariners	24th ,,	289 A
Lighthouses.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, communicating with remarks, letter from Superintending Engineer, I Circle, submitting a statement of — inspected by him, communicated to the Presidency Port officer ..	15th May	451 B
Lighthouses inspected by the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, in December 1896.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, communicating a statement of details of —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	15th ,,	453 B
Do. VI Circle in April 1897.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, communicating a statement of details of —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	15th ,,	454 B
Lighthouse lanterns.—Drawings and specifications of Trinity House 2nd, 3rd and 4th order received from the Secretary of State, forwarded to the Executive Engineer, Lighthouse Division	1st June	504 B
Lighthouses in the Southern portion of the Red Sea.— The Government of India addressed on the subject of the urgent necessity of establishing a complete system of — ..	1st July	587, 588 A
Endorsement from the Government of India forwarding copy of certain papers on the above subject, communicated to the Presidency Port officer and the Madras Chamber of Commerce	1st Nov.	889 A
Lighthouses in West Coast Division.— Proceedings, Public Works Department, on report of the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, on the — for 1896-97, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	28th July	675 B

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LIGHTHOUSES—GENERAL—*cont.*	1897.	
Lighthouses.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, communicating letter from the India Office on the subject of Mr. Ashpitel being allowed to communicate direct with the manufacturers at home in regard to details of design and construction of apparatus for lighthouse purposes, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	7th Sept.	784 B
The Presidency Port officer informed that estimates for protecting certain — from lightning will be prepared in the Public Works Department	27th „	836 A
Lighthouse Establishments— *Vide* Establishment.		
Lighthouses in the Bengal Presidency.—Annual report on — *Vide* Reports.		
Lights in the Madras Presidency.—Steamer for the officers inspecting the —. *Vide* Vessels.		
Lighthouses. Supply of oil to —. Orders authorizing the Presidency Port officer to continue existing arrangements for the — pending final orders on the proposals before Government	12th Oct.	861 B
Do. Distribution of oil to —. Orders directing that the existing arrangements for the — remain as at present ..	15th Nov.	933 B
Lights and Lighthouses on the coasts of the Madras Presidency. —Orders on the Presidency Port officer's report for 1896–97 on the working of the —	23rd Dec.	1051–52 A
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MACHINERY.		
Cranes at the Tuticorin Pier—*Vide* Piers.		
Type-writers.—Proceedings, Financial Department, communicating resolution of the Government of India directing that — should, in future, be obtained through the Stationery office instead of by indent on the India Office, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	25th Feb.	160 B
Proceedings, Financial Department, communicating the ruling of the Revenue Department that all applications for the supply of — should invariably be accompanied by proposals for reduction of copyist establishments, communicated to the Presidency Port officer ..	24th June	569 B
Crane for use on the South jetty at the port of Negapatam.— Orders sanctioning the purchase of a 3-ton — at a cost of Rs. 960	10th Nov.	912 B
MAPS AND PLANS.		
Drawings of Lighthouse lanterns.—Despatch to the Secretary of State stating the purpose for which certain — are required	16th Jan.	51 A
Drawings and specifications of Trinity House 2nd, 3rd and 4th order lighthouse lanterns received from the Secretary of State — forwarded to the Executive Engineer, Lighthouse Division	1st June	504 B

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MAPS AND PLANS—*cont.*	1897.	
Chart of the Madras Harbour.—Report of the Presidency Port officer that the number of copies of the — asked for by him may be reduced to two, recorded	27th Sept.	841 B
MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.		
Medical Board. Appeal to a—against a Medical officer's certificate.—Proceedings, Public Department, agreeing with the Surgeon-General that — should be allowed only at the request of the head of a department and subject to the Surgeon-General's approval, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	6th Jan.	19 B
Bubonic Plague.—Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, communicating letter from the Government of India forwarding an account of the experiments made by Mons. Haffkine with prophylactic and curative serum during an outbreak of — in the jail at Bombay, recorded	9th Mar.	211 B
Do. Protective treatment against the —. Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, communicating letter from Mons. Haffkine referring to the — and to the experiments on curative treatment by antitoxin serum, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	11th „	224 B
Retired Military Assistant Surgeon. Appointment of — for plague and famine duty.—Proceedings, Public Department, communicating letter from the Government of India sanctioning the — on certain conditions, recorded	5th May	426 B
Military Hospital Assistants.—Proceedings, Public Department, communicating to the Surgeon-General correspondence from the Government of India regarding the grant of grain compensation allowance to — employed on famine or plague duty, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	14th June	530 B
Civil Assistant Surgeons.—Proceedings, Public Department, communicating to the Surgeon-General the sanction of the Government of India to the employment of persons of the Civil Surgeon class on temporary plague and famine duty, communicated to the Presidency Port officer.	16th „	539 B
Uncovenanted Medical Service.—Proceedings, Public Department, recording Local and Municipal Proceedings on correspondence from the Government of India sanctioning the employment on plague duty of applicants for appointments in the — on a salary of Rs. 350 a month, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	16th „	540 B
Civil Apothecary John Pillai.—Proceedings, Public Department, commenting on the conduct of certain officers of Government who assisted at a public meeting held for the purpose of attacking the official character of — a public servant, communicated to the Presidency Port officer ..	9th July	612 B
Port Health officer.—Appointment of a 3rd-class Hospital Assistant as — of Cocanada — *Vide* Sanitation.		

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MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—*cont.*	1897.	
Port Health officer, Cocanada.—Fees to the —. *Vide* Vessels.		
Hospital Assistant attached to the Port of Tuticorin.—Report of the Surgeon-General that the present — is more competent than his predecessors and likely to prove more useful recorded and communicated to the Presidency Port officer	27th Aug.	760 B
MEMORIALS AND PETITIONS.		
Appeal to a Medical Board against a Medical officer's certificate —*Vide* Medical Department.		
Memorials addressed to the Secretary of State and withheld by the Government of Madras during the quarter ending 31st December 1896.—List of —, forwarded to the Government of India	21st Jan.	60 B
Do. Government of India.—Do.	21st „	61 B
Mr. C. Stolberg, late Tariff Manager, Harbour Trust Board.—Petition from — praying that he may be granted a gratuity, recorded	26th Feb.	172 B
Ali Bin Hassan and Hassan Bin Abdul Rahiman — informed that the Government does not consider it necessary to interfere with the discretion of the Presidency Port officer in the matter of the appointment of relative of the former to act for him as junior Government pilot, Cochin	1st June	503 B
The former referred to the above Government Order which must be considered final	9th Aug.	707 B
Further petition from the former, recorded	5th Oct.	853 B
Petition from the former praying that his son may be appointed to act for him in the Cochin pilotage service as junior pilot, recorded	12th June	526 B
Mrs. Carlos, widow of the late Mr. F. B. Carlos, Clerk, Port office, Cochin — informed with reference to her petition that the rules do not admit of any gratuity being sanctioned to her son who resigned his post after 11 years' service	19th Aug.	734 B
MISCELLANEOUS.		
Turkish Subjects.— The Turkish Consul, Madras, informed that the Madras Government is unable to furnish him with notice of the arrival in, or departure from, Madras by rail or ship of —	4th Jan.	8 B
Method of dating initials.—Proceedings, Public Department, regarding —. *Vide* Correspondence.		
Costume to be worn on public occasions.—Proceedings, Public Department, re-issuing with certain remarks, G.O., No. 1288 of 1875, on the subject of the —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	17th Mar.	257 B

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MISCELLANEOUS—*cont.*	1897.	
Warm clothing for inferior servants.— Proceedings, Public Department, stating that it is not necessary that applications for — should be transferred to the Public Department for disposal, but that orders on such matters should be communicated to that Department, recorded	12th April	354 B
Presents for Her Majesty the Queen Empress.—Proceedings, Public Department, communicating an extract from a despatch from the Secretary of State to the Government of India regarding offers of — by native subjects of Her Majesty who are not Princes or Chiefs, recorded	3rd May	411 B
Her Majesty the Queen Empress of India.—Proceedings, Public Department, communicating letter from the Government of India regarding the commemoration of the completion of the sixtieth year of the reign of —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	12th „	443 B
Administration of Burma.—Proceedings, Public Department, ordering the re-publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of the Government of India notification regarding the conversion of the — into a Lieutenant Governorship, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	17th „	459 B
Peons' clothing.—Proceedings, Public Department, communicating G.O., No. 870, Financial, dated 12th November 1895, regarding — and furnishing the Superintendent of Stationery with a copy of G.O., No. 26, Public, dated 13th January 1894, passing orders on the supply of liveries to peons of the Secretariat and certain other departments, recorded	2nd July	590 B
Package consigned to the Army Clothing Department.—Refund of the amount recovered from Messrs. Arbuthnot & Co. for shortage of a —. *Vide* Accounts.		
Peons' clothing. Supply of —. Proceedings, Financial Department, on report from the Superintendent of Stationery furnishing details regarding the supply of clothing to the menial establishment of certain officers in the Presidency town; and directing that, in future, all offices in the Presidency town should obtain their — from the Superintendent of Stationery, communicated to the Presidency Port officer.	24th Aug.	747 B
Rubber Stamps.—Proceedings, Financial Department, requesting certain departments of the Secretariat to make the necessary enquiries on the subject of the supply of — to the respective officers and to communicate the results with a view to their being embodied in the Stationery Rules, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	15th Sept.	806 B
Tour of His Excellency the Governor.—Memorandum from the Public Department forwarding a programme of the fourth — with request that the necessary notes on the subject likely to be brought to his notice may be prepared and forwarded to the Private Secretary, recorded	23rd „	828 B
Warm clothing.—Proceedings, Public Department, on Board's Proceedings sanctioning the charge incurred on account of two khaki drill suits supplied to the bicycle peon in the Board's office, recorded	24th „	832 B

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MISCELLANEOUS—*cont.*	1897.	
Clocks in Public offices.—Proceedings, Financial Department, stating that all contracts in regard to clock-winding in public offices should be terminated as early as practicable, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	17th Dec.	1037 B
MUNICIPALITIES.		
Municipal limits, Negapatam.—Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, communicating letter from the Chairman, Municipal Council, stating that the exclusion of the port limits from the — will be detrimental to sanitation, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	26th Mar.	299 B
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OFFICERS AND SUBORDINATES.		
Ashpitel, Mr. F. W., Executive Engineer, Lighthouse Division.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, permitting — to correspond direct with the Chief Engineer, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	26th Jan.	74 B
Ares, Commander W., Deputy Conservator of the Port of Madras.—Orders notifying the 60 days' privilege leave applied for by — and stating that the Government requires a certificate as to title with every application for leave ..	20th April	362 B
The Government of India informed that His Excellency the Governor in Council has no objection to the confirmation of — in the appointment of Deputy Conservator of the Port of Madras	11th May	442 B
Report of the Director of Royal Indian Marine that he has recommended to the Government of India that — be confirmed in his appointment from date that Commander Hewett assumes charge of his appointment at Karachi, recorded	30th Sept.	847 B
Ashpitel, Mr. F. W., Executive Engineer, Lighthouse Division.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, requesting the Home Government to sanction an extension of leave on duty for a fortnight to — in addition to his 3 months' privilege leave to enable him to visit the various lighthouses works in Paris and England, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	15th May	455 B
Proceedings, Public Works Department, communicating letter from the Government of India sanctioning the appointment of — as Superintendent of Works of the Special Lighthouse Division with a local allowance of Rs. 100 per mensem, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	11th Nov.	920 B

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OFFICERS AND SUBORDINATES—*cont.*	1897.	
Boas, Mr. H. J., Port officer.—Orders approving the proposed arrangement under which — takes charge of both the Marine and Customs duties at Bimilipatam in addition to his duties at Vizagapatam and granting him a charge allowance of Rs. 60 per mensem during the period ..	1st June	502 B
Granted 3 months' privilege leave from 21st June 1897	1st "	497 B
Carlyon, Mr. W. S.—Deputation allowance to —. *Vide* Allowances.		
Cotterill, Mr., Lighthouse Superintendent, Madras — Vide Establishment.		
Carlyon, Mr. W. S., Port officer, Gopalpur — granted leave on medical certificate for 4 months with effect from 8th October 1897	11th Nov.	918 B
Gunther, Mr. G., Foreman, Mechanic, Madras Harbour Works.—Remarks of the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, on application from — for a gratuity in respect of his service under Government prior to the constitution of the Harbour Trust, communicated to the Chairman with remarks ..	3rd May	412 B
Icely, Mr. F., Port and Customs officer, Vizagapatam.—The privilege leave for 3 months applied for by — granted, and the arrangements proposed for the conduct of his duties, approved	20th Feb.	140 B
James, Mr. J. P., Port officer, Negapatam.—Report that — returned from leave on 2nd May 1897 and has been directed to rejoin his appointment, recorded	6th May	430 B
Pogson, Mr. A. Lee, Engineer, Madras Harbour Trust Board.—Orders sanctioning the disbursement to — of the sum of Rs. 2,500 as an honorarium for his services in connection with putting down screw moorings inside the harbour ..	27th Jan.	78 B
Letter from the Chairman, Harbour Trust Board, on the subject of incidence of the charge on account of the bonus to —, communicated to the Examiner with remarks	17th Dec.	1035 B
The deputation of — to Gopalpur to inspect the pier sanctioned, subject to the concurrence of the Harbour Trust Board	5th Feb.	100 B
Pinsent, Mr. C., Secretary, Harbour Trust Board, Madras.—Orders sanctioning the proposed increase of pay of — from Rs. 800 to Rs. 1,000 per mensem with effect from 1st April 1897	3rd May	410 B
Pogson, Mr., Engineer, Madras Harbour Trust Board.—Orders directing that the charges on account of the salary and exchange compensation allowance due to — for the period of his deputation in connection with the examination of the pier at Gopalpur, be admitted under Article 95 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations	9th July	611 B

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OFFICERS AND SUBORDINATES—*cont.*	1897.	
Swann, Mr. R. L., Port officer.—Proceedings, Revenue Department, ordering the grant of certain allowances to — for the period during which he was in command of the "Margarita" in her trip to the Laccadives, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	9th Jan.	25 B
Orders directing that a notification be published appointing — as Acting Agent for Government Consignments and Personal Assistant to the Presidency Port officer for certain period	17th Mar.	258 B
The action of the Presidency Port officer in lending the services of — for assisting Mr. Baker, Superintendent of Pearl-fisheries, in navigating the fishery vessels "Margarita" and "Irene" to Tuticorin from Bombay, approved and referring the question of allowances for consideration in the Revenue Department	12th Oct.	863 B
Proceedings of the Revenue Department on the above question, recorded	19th Nov.	945 B
Proceedings, Revenue Department, sanctioning a deputation allowance of Rs. 50 per mensem to — for assisting Mr. Baker in navigating the fishery vessels "Margarita" and "Irene" from Bombay to Tuticorin, communicated to the Presidency Port officer ..	4th Dec.	983 B
Swann, Mr. R. L., Reserve Port officer, Negapatam—warned that on the occurrence of a similar act of carelessness in ascertaining the sea worthiness of a vessel, as in the case of the Barque "Henrietta Elizabeth" his services will be dispensed with	15th Nov.	929 B
Simpson, Mr. J. M., Port officer.—Orders stating that His Excellency the Governor in Council does not consider that there are sufficient grounds for an application to the Government of India on behalf of — for a personal allowance of Rs. 40	16th Dec.	1032 B
Taylor, Mr. D. J., Foreman of the Factory, Kiddupore—granted a deputation allowance of Rs. 4 per diem for the period he was employed at Negapatam in fitting up the Dredger "Havelock"	29th April	395 A
Woodhouse, Mr. M., Port officer, Cochin.—Privilege leave for two months and five days granted to —	2nd Mar.	180 B
OFFICERS AND SUBORDINATES—GENERAL.		
Government officers lent to Municipalities, Port Trusts and Local Boards.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, communicating Government of India resolution regarding extension to — of the privileges enjoyed by other Government servants in foreign employ in respect of *pari passu* promotions, &c., communicated to the officers concerned ..	14th Jan.	44 B
Mr. C. Kaliyanasundaram Chetty.—Notification appointing — to be a trustee of the Madras Harbour ordered to be published	15th "	48 B

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Gentlemen elected to serve as Members of the new Harbour Trust Board.—Orders requesting the Madras Chamber of Commerce and the Madras Trades Association to make return of the names of —	22nd Jan.	64 ~~946~~ B
Members of the Army Reserve withdrawn from their civil duties for drill duty with their regiments.—Proceedings, Financial Department, communicating orders of the Government of India that the time spent by all — in journeying between their stations and the place of training be treated as duty qualifying for leave under Civil Rules, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	3rd Feb.	93 B
Powers of Sanction.—Proceedings, Financial Department, passing orders on the question of the delegation to heads of departments of — to purchase articles of country and European manufacture within certain limits, communicated to the Presidency Port officer with remarks ..	3rd „	92 B
Letter from the Presidency Port officer stating that the Government Order on the above question has already been replied to —, communicated to the Financial Department	13th „	122 B
Deputy Conservator of the Port of Madras and the Presidency Port officer.—Notification appointing the — to be the officers and the intermediate authority under sections 8 (1) and 16 (3) respectively of the Pilgrim Ships Act XIV of 1895, ordered to be published in the Gazette	9th „	106 A
Mr. W. S. Shaw.—Orders accepting the resignation by — of his appointment as a trustee of the Madras Harbour ..	13th „	127 B
Letter from the Chairman, Chamber of Commerce, stating that it is considered unnecessary to nominate a successor to —, recorded	24th „	156 B
Sir Dennis Fitzpatrick.—Telegram to the Port officer, Tuticorin, regarding arrangements to be made for the embarkation of — at Tuticorin on his way to Colombo	7th Mar.	204 B
Gazetted officers who will attain the age of fifty-five years or whose extensions of service after attainment of that age will expire during 1897–98.—Proceedings, Financial Department, recording the consolidated list of —, recorded	9th „	205 B
Trustees of the Madras Harbour.—Orders directing that the names of persons duly elected or nominated to constitute the Board of — be notified in the *Fort St. George Gazette.*	20th „	272 A
Officers of the Civil Services.—Proceedings, Public Department, communicating the request of the Government of India to be furnished with a copy of the report made to the Secretary of State in cases where — are killed or severly wounded by fanatics or others or meet with sudden or violent death in any very exceptional circumstances, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	30th „	312 B
Gentlemen nominated as Members of the Landing and Shipping Dues Committee, Vizagapatam.—Orders sanctioning the appointment of the — for 1897–98 to administer the funds collected under Act III of 1885	24th April	372 A

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OFFICERS AND SUBORDINATES—GENERAL—*cont.*	1897.	
Customs Superintendent and Port Conservator at Calingapatam.—Proceedings, Revenue Department, stating that the suggestion of the Presidency Port officer to allow the — to remain under the supervision of the Collector does not meet with the approval of Government, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	28th April	393 B
Deputy Conservator of the Port of Madras.—The attention of the Government of India invited to letter No. 677, Marine, dated 2nd October 1896, on the subject of a higher staff allowance to the — and asked to submit a reply	3rd May	413, 414 B
Officers in Foreign Service.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, communicating Government of India resolution regarding the eligibility of — to *pari passu* promotion to the Superintending and Chief Engineer classes and to the special pensions admissible to officers in those classes, communicated to the Presidency Port officer and Chairman, Harbour Trust Board	11th "	440 B
Officers Commanding Foreign Ships of War.—The Government of India informed that His Excellency the Governor in Council having had an opportunity of perusing paragraph 62 of the Queen's Regulations and Admiralty Instructions of 1893 sees no reason why these latter orders should not be referred to as the guide for return visits to —	23rd June	566, 567 A
Letter from the Government of India requesting that the rules contained in paragraph 62 of the Queen's Regulations and Admiralty Instructions, 1893, may, in future, be followed at all ports under the control of the Government of Madras in receiving and exchanging visits with foreign ships of war, communicated to the Military Secretary to His Excellency the Governor	1st July	586 A
Mr. C. H. Wilkinson, Superintendent of Immigration from India to Ceylon.—Proceedings, Public Department, communicating letter from the Government of Ceylon requesting that — may be afforded every assistance in the matter of segregation and accommodation of Immigrant labourers, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	19th "	640 B
Reserve Port officer.—Orders stating that the Government is not prepared to withdraw the — from his legitimate duties for the long period requisite to enable him to undergo a training in Marine Survey work	17th "	636 B
Officers. Delegation of Powers.—The Advocate-General asked to state whether he is aware of any authority for the statement in the instructions of the Board of Trade issued under the English Merchant Shipping Act of 1854 that certain duties "can be deputed by the Government of the Colony or Possession to any of their officers"	17th "	637 B
Officers deputed on Famine duty.—Proceedings, Revenue Department, stating that — in districts other than that in which they are serving should, as a rule, not be permitted to take their families with them at the public cost, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	19th "	643 B

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OFFICERS AND SUBORDINATES —GENERAL—*cont.*	1897.	
Mr. C. H. Wilkinson.—Proceedings, Public Department, communicating intimation from the Ceylon Government that — has been appointed Superintendent of Immigration from India to Ceylon in the place of Mr. Ingram Cotton deceased, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	24th Aug.	750 B
Harbour Master, Madras Harbour.—Orders on proposal of the Presidency Port officer to entertain an additional — ..	27th „	763 B
High officials.—Proceedings, Public Department, passing orders on the question whether the duty of conducting — afloat at Madras should not fall on the Deputy Conservator of the Port instead of on the Presidency Port officer, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	29th Oct.	884 B
Officers. Power of the Government of Madras to remove — from their appointments.—Proceedings, Public Department, communicating letter from the Government of India regarding, recorded	29th „	887 B
Mr. J. F. Davies.—Orders accepting the resignation tendered by — of his seat as a trustee of the Madras Harbour, &c.	18th Nov.	943 B
Notification regarding the election of Mr. Richard Harper to serve as a trustee of the Madras Harbour *vice* —, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	6th Dec.	989 B
Superintendent of Telegraphs, Madras Division.—Orders stating that His Excellency the Governor in Council has no objection to the — being included in the list of officers to whom storm warnings are to be communicated and directing that the Meteorological Reporter to the Government of India be asked to arrange accordingly	9th „	1003, 1004 A
Officers employed on Famine or Plague duty.—Proceedings, Financial Department, directing the republication of Government of India resolution regarding grant of certain concessions to —, recorded	9th „	1001 B
Financial Powers.—Proceedings, Financial Department, passing orders on the question of the preparation of consolidated lists comprising all — including those to be found in departmental codes, manuals and circular orders, &c., communicated to the Presidency Port officer	14th „	1026 B
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PASSAGES.		
Passage to England to be provided for Ex-Military convict H. Smith, late of the Welsh Regiment.—The Presidency Port officer informed that he should use his own discretion in regard to the class of —	18th June	552 B
PIERS.		
Pier at Tuticorin.—The notification sanctioning certain additional bye-law relating to the new iron screw pile —, approved and ordered to be published in the Fort St. George and Tinnevelly District Gazettes	11th Jan.	27 A

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P... RS—*cont*	1897.	
Pier at Ca icut.—Orders directing that information as t. ..ne cost of a ...ew — on a site to the South and as to the receipts that may be expected from it, be obtained and laid before Governm nt	23rd Jan.	68 A
Pier at Gop.. our.—Orders directing that arrangements should be made f r securing or removing the parts of the — which are otherw se likely to be lost	27th „	76 A
Orders ...questing the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, to re rt on the proposal to lengthen the — by reduction ... width to one half	30th April	403 A
Orders ...ating that under the circumstances reported by the ...uperintending Engineer it is not considered desiral ... to pursue the enquiry in regard to the lengthening ...f the — further, and directing that Mr. Minchi ... be informed accordingly by the Collector ..	16th July	633 B
Pier at Tuticori... Cranes at the —. Report of Superintending Engineer, V... Circle, regarding the delay in setting up the —, communi ated to the Presidency Port officer	20th Feb.	144 B
Letter fr... n the Presidency Port officer enquiring whether ... would not be advisable to entrust the erection of the — to Messrs. Dymes & Company's Agents, recorded	22nd „	148 B
Report of S...uperintending Engineer, VI Circle, that the delay in ...arrying out repairs to the — is in no way attribut ...le to the Public Works Department, communicat... to the Presidency Port officer	20th „	145 B
Pier at Calicut. ... Orders receiving back the — from the Company which ... dertook its custody and authorizing the Public Work... Department to prepare an estimate for the present structu...e being put into a condition of repairs sufficient to en...re its use and safety	22nd April	364 A
Foreshore at Tu...corin.—Orders stating that there is no objection to Me...srs. Harvey & Company being allowed to reclaim the — ... their own expense, &c.	30th Mar.	311 A
Orders on dra...t of a lease, submitted by the Collector of Tinnevelly, ...n respect of a portion of the — to be reclaimed by ...Messrs. Harvey & Company	1st Oct.	849 A
Pier at Mangalore.—...-Proceedings, Public Works Department, directing the Sup...erintending Engineer, IV Circle, to submit plans and e...imates for a screw pile —, communicated to the Presidenc... Port officer	30th Mar.	3?8 B
Pier at Gopalpur.—...Orders requesting the Presidency Port officer to expedit... his report as to the feasibility and cost of dismantling t... —	22nd April	364 A
Pier at Tuticorin. ... *Foreshore near the —.* Orders directing that an estimate ...f the cost of maintaining the outer wall of the reclamation o... the — be called for in the Public Works Department	19th July	642 A

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PIERS—*cont.*	1897.	
Pier at Tuticorin. Foreshore near the —. Proceedings, Public Works Department, cancelling so far as regards execution by the Public Works Department, certain items in the estimate of Rs. 37,500 for reclaiming the —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	27th Sept.	838 B
Pier at Calicut.—Orders directing that the — be taken over from the Calicut Pier and Warehouse Company Limited only with the excess over the capital sum subscribed ..	25th Aug.	755 A
Orders approving the revised notification extending the provisions of Madras Act No. VII of 1871 and of the Madras Pier Act, 1863, to the — and approving scale of tolls to be levied on the pier	13th No[illegible]	928 A
Report of the Presidency Port officer that Rs. 2,974-4-7 has been made over by the Pier and Warehouse Company to the Port officer at Calicut and duly placed to credit of Government, recorded	11th D[illegible]	1018 B
Orders directing that the execution of the deed of surrender of the — by the Pier and Warehouse Company be completed and the deed forwarded to the Government Solicitor for registration	18th [illegible]	1041 B
Jetties at Cocanada.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, on report, dated April 1897, of Superintending Engineer, I Circle, on the work done to the —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	27th [illegible]ug.	759 B
Proceedings, Public Works Department, sanctioning estimates of Rs. 74,400 for the extension of the —, recorded	16th [illegible]pt.	808 B
Pier at Tuticorin. Silt in the vicinity of the —. Orders desiring that the Superintending Engineer be consulted as to what is needed should be done for the removal of the — ..	22nd ,,	826 B
Jetties at Pamban.—Orders requesting that plans and estimate for the proposed — be called for in the Public Works Department and that the question of raising pier tolls by Legislative enactment be brought forward in due course when the structures, if carried out, are nearing completion	30th ,,	848 A
Jetty at Cochin within port limits.—Orders sanctioning the erection by Messrs. Pierce, Leslie & Company of a — to the west side of the one they own on certain conditions ..	9t[illegible] Nov.	948 A
PILGRIMS.		
Pilgrim Ships.—Orders directing that Madras be apointed a Port for departure and arrival of — under section of Act XIV of 1895	25[illegible] Jan.	71 A
Pilgrims.—Intimation from the Secretary of State that — cannot be allowed to enter Egypt should the plague appear at Hedjaz, till disappearance, and that pauper — cannot be allowed to leave Egypt ordered to be published in the Gazette	[illegible] Feb.	105 A

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PILGRIMS—*cont.*	1897.	
Pilgrims. Prohibition of the departure of — from the Madras Port.—Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, forwarding to the Government of India copy of letter from the Chairman, Harbour Trust Board, on the subject of the —, recorded	18th Feb.	138 B
Do. Prohibition of entry of Shias and corpses from India into Messopotamia.—Telegram regarding —, ordered to be published in the Gazette	16th „	136 A
Pilgrim traffic.—Certain papers on the subject of the Madras Port being opened for —, recorded	10th Mar.	215 B
Pilgrim Port.—Correspondence regarding Madras being made a —, recorded	13th „	233 B
Turkish Pilgrim Regulations of 1897.—Proceedings, Public Department, communicating correspondence received from the Government of India relative to the —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	28th May	495 B
Pilgrims returning from the Hedjaz.—Endorsement, Local and Municipal Department, transferring telegram from the Government of India requesting that the rules of the Venice Convention may be enforced against the —, communicated to the officers concerned	25th June	578 B
Pilgrims.—Proceedings, Public Department, directing the republication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of Government of India notification embodying a draft notification proposed to be issued under section 58 of the Pilgrim Ships Act regarding refund to — of passage money paid by them, recorded	7th Aug.	699 B
Pilgrimage to the Hedjaz.—Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, recording letter from the Government of Bombay forwarding copy of its resolution regarding the — during the current season, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	6th Dec.	990 B
Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, regarding the arrangements that are being made at Karachi for the embarkation from that port of pilgrims, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	10th „	1007 B
Proceedings Local and Municipal Department, regarding Public Department Proceedings directing the republication of Government of India notification with regard to the — during the current season, recorded	10th „	1012 B
POLICE.		
Identification by finger impressions.—Proceedings, Judicial Department, communicating report from the Government of India on the working of the anthropometric system for the identification of old offenders, and on the progress made in elaborating a system of classifying finger impressions in the Lower Provinces of Bengal, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	4th Nov.	898 B

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PORTS AND HARBOURS.	1897.	
Alagayankolam. Port of —, Madura District.—Proceedings, Revenue Department, issuing a revised notification under section 11 of Sea Customs Act VIII of 1878 defining the limits of —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer for early submission of the requisite drafts of notifications to be issued under Act X of 1889	17th June	545 B
Orders approving the proposal to extend the provisions of Indian Ports Act X of 1889 to the — and requesting the sanction of the Government of India to such extension	27th July	668, 669 A
Orders directing the publication in the Fort St. George and Madura District Gazettes of certain notification extending the provisions of the Indian Ports Act of 1889 to the —	27th Sept.	39 A
A notification declaring that certain port rules shall be applicable to the — with effect from 1st December 1897, ordered to be published in the Fort St. George and Madura District Gazettes	2nd Nov.	894 A
Cochin. Port of —. Erosion of the Sea on the Vypeen foreshore opposite Cruz Milagre Dam.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, recording letter from Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, reporting on the —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	5th Feb.	98 B
Hangarkotta. Port of—. Quarry at the —. Orders directing that the cost of repair and improvements to the — be met from Port Funds	25th June	577 A
Madras, Harbour of —. Improvements. —Orders directing that the Government of India and the Home Government be addressed, the former in regard to a trained officer for the survey of the roadstead, and the latter in regard to the proposed dredging operations in connection with the improvement of —	5th Jan.	15, 16 A
Orders on letter from the Chairman, Harbour Trust Board, regarding certain matters connected with the —	11th „	35 B
Report from the Chairman that particulars of the Board's proposals regarding railway communications in connection with the — have been furnished to the Consulting Engineer for Railways and Agents, Madras and South Indian Railways, recorded	11th „	36 B
Do.—Port for the departure of pilgrim passengers.—Government of India informed by wire that Madras has not been appointed under Pigrims Ships Act as a —	21st „	63 B
Do. — Port of —. Port for the departure of pilgrim passengers.—Telegram from the Government of India intimating that in consequence of the plague at Bombay and Karachi, the Governor-General does not propose that — should be closed to pilgrim traffic, ordered to be published	21st „	62 A

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PORTS AND HARBOURS—*cont.*	1897.	
Madras. Harbour of —. Letter from the Government of India stating that they have arranged for the services of an officer of the Marine Survey Department being made available during the recess season to superintend the work of surveying the —, communicated to the Chairman, Harbour Trust Board	25th Jan.	69 A
Letter from the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, stating that the survey of the — will be undertaken during the next recess season by Lieutenant W. G. Beauchamp, communicated to the Chairman, Harbour Trust Board	3rd Mar.	191 A
Report of the Chairman that the Board will provide whatever boats and men are required to conduct the marine survey of the — and will meet all extra expenses of the officer deputed for the duty, recorded	3rd „	194 B
Report of the Director of the Royal Indian Marine that Lieutenant W. G. Beauchamp proceeded to Madras on 7th May 1897 for the purpose of surveying the —, recorded with remarks	27th May	490 A
Report of the Chairman that the Board is prepared to meet all the expenses in connection with the survey of the — now being made by Lieutenant Beauchamp, recorded and a copy forwarded to the Director of Royal Indian Marine	12th June	528, 529 A
Letter from Lieutenant Beauchamp containing suggestions with regard to, and a report on, the recent survey made by him, of the —, communicated to the Chairman, Harbour Trust Board	24th Sept.	831 A
Copy of a survey of the — and roadstead made by Lieutenant Beauchamp together with a note by Mr. F. J. Wilson, the Local Consulting Engineer to the Madras Harbour Trust Board, ordered to be forwarded to the Home Government	29th Dec.	1053 A
Do. Port of —. Orders directing that Madras be appointed a port for the departure and arrival of pilgrim ships under section 7 of Act XIV of 1895	25th Jan.	71 A
Notification appointing the Deputy Conservator of the — and the Presidency Port officer to be the officer and the intermediate authority under section 8 (1) and 16 (3), respectively, of the Act, ordered to be published	9th Feb.	106 A
Do. Harbour of —. *Encroachment of the sea to the north of the* —. Papers on the subject of the —, recorded ..	5th „	99 B
Do.—Debenture loan — *Vide* Accounts and Funds.		
Do. Harbour of —. *Sand pump dredger recommended by Sir A. Rendel for use in the* —. Despatch from Secretary of State forwarding particulars with plan and tender of the —, communicated to the Chairman, Harbour Trust Board, with remark	26th April	374 A

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PORTS AND HARBOURS—*cont.*	1897.	
Madras. Harbour of —. Boat Basin.—Orders observing that Executive Engineer, Buckingham Canal Division, was directed to prepare an estimate for a — in communication with the Harbour Engineer and directing that progress should be reported through the Public Works Department, Irrigation Branch	19th July	639 B
Proceedings, Public Works Department, Irrigation Branch, on note by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation stating that it is expected that plans and estimate for the — will be laid before Government very shortly and that the opinion of the Marine, Railway and Military Departments will have to be obtained before final approval of the scheme is applied for, recorded	16th Aug.	725 B
Bills amounting to Rs. 4,413-2-8 for fixing mooring rings along the pier for making fender for one large buoy and for supplying a buoy for the —, sanctioned ..	17th „	729 A
Do. Trust Board.—Proceedings, Revenue Department, on Government of India letter forwarding the opinion of the Advocate-General, Bengal, on the subject of investing the — with powers similar to those exercised by the Port Trust Board, Bombay, communicated to the Chairman	15th Nov.	931 B
Mangalore. Harbour of —. Proceedings, Public Works Department, communicating report on the condition of the — for 1896, communicated to the Presidency Port officer ..	19th June	562 B
Do. Foreshore at —. Proceedings, Public Works Department, requesting the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, to submit an estimate for the reclamation of the —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	10th Nov.	915 B
Negapatam. Port of —. Proceedings. Local and Municipal Department, communicating letter from the Chairman, Municipal Council, stating that the exclusion of the — from the Municipal limits will be detrimental to sanitation, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	26th Mar.	299 B
Ponnáni. Port of —. Orders directing the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, to expedite the submission of the estimate for constructing groynes and a sea wall at the — to facilitate the landing of cargo	27th April	381 A
Tellicherry. Port of —. Protective Works.—Orders directing the Executive Engineer to submit a report as to the works necessary to protect certain portion of the coast, &c. ..	6th „	331 A
Tuticorin. Port of —. Office hours of the Sea Customs office at the —. Report as to how it is proposed to alter the — so as to meet the requirements of the altered train and steamer service awaited	8th Feb.	102 B
Tuticorin. Port of —. Office hours of the Sea Customs office at the —. Orders fixing the — from 7 A.M. to 9 A.M. and from 12 NOON to 5 P.M.	29th April	396 A
Proceedings, Revenue Department, recording reminder from the Marine Department to reference regarding alteration of the —, recorded	29th „	397 B

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PORTS AND HARBOURS—*cont.*	1897.	
Tuticorin. Silting at the —. Orders requesting the Presidency Port officer to investigate and report the cause and extent of the — in view to orders being passed regarding the purchase of a new dredger for the port	11th June	524 A
Do. Railway siding, &c., at the —. Passing orders in regard to the incidence of the cost of the — and directing that an estimate of the cost of maintaining the outer wall of the reclamation be called for in the Public Works Department.	19th July	642 A
Proceedings, Public Works Department, on proposals for improving the —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	11th Sept.	798 B
Vizagapatam. Port of—. Reclamation of the foreshore at—. Orders renewing the sanction accorded in G.O., No. 37, dated 28th January 1895, to a contribution of Rs. 20,892 from landing and shipping dues towards the —	28th Jan.	84 A
Vizagapatam. Harbour of—. Orders desiring the Collector and the Presidency Port officer to advise Government in regard to the concessions applied for, for carrying out, by means of a Company, Mr. Thorowgood's smaller projects for improving the —	17th Mar.	256 A
Remarks of the Senior Government Inspector of Railways regarding the — in his report of the East Coast Railway for the half-year ending 31st December 1896, communicated to the Presidency Port officer and Superintending Engineer, I Circle, for information ..	30th April	401 B
Vizagapatam. Port of—. Anchor and chain required for the —. The proposed expenditure of Rs. 681 on the purchase of an —, sanctioned, and a special charge of Rs. 5 per diem levied for the use of the moorings under section 35 (1) of the Indian Port Act X of 1889	12th July	618 A
Do.—Proceedings, Revenue Department, approving and ordering the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a draft notification under section 11 of the Sea Customs Act revising the limits of the —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	19th "	648 B
PORTS AND HARBOURS—GENERAL.		
Ports of Bombay and Karachi.—Telegram from the Government of India intimating that, in consequence of the plague, the Bombay Government have temporarily cancelled from 1st February the orders appointing the — to be ports under the Pilgrim Ships Act for departure and arrival of pilgrim ships, ordered to be published	21st Jan.	62 A
Ports of the Madras Presidency.—The Colonial Secretary informed of the — at which there are officers authorised to grant bills of health under the Epidemic Diseases Act III of 1897	9th Mar.	209 B
Do.—Revised draft notification regarding grouping of — for the maintenance of their accounts, recorded	19th "	269 B

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PORTS AND HARBOURS—GENERAL—*cont.*	1897.	
Eastern group of ports. Port dues of the —. Orders approving and directing the publication in the Fort St. George, &c., Gazettes of the draft notifications for the enhancement of —	12th April	351 A
Ports under section 11 *of the Sea Customs Act VIII of* 1878.—Proceedings, Revenue Department, ordering that the draft notification for removing Ganjám from the list of places declared as — be published in the Fort St. George, &c., Gazettes, communicated to the Presidency Port officer ..	1st May	407 B
Ports. Regrouping of —. Orders directing that notifications A, B and C printed as appendix No. 1 to G.O., No. 261, Marine, dated 19th March 1897, on the subject of the — be published in the Fort St. George and Maritime District Gazettes	14th ,,	447 A
Ports in the South Canara District. Sea limits of certain —. Proceedings, Revenue Department, approving certain corrections proposed by the Board of Revenue to the — and ordering their publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	2nd Aug.	685 B
Registry ports under the English Merchant Shipping Act, 1894.—Orders directing that the Government of India be moved to approve certain outports to be —	16th ,,	26,727 A
Port for carrying on coasting trade with Tuticorin.—Proceedings, Revenue Department, directing the publication of the draft notification declaring the Baliapatam fish-curing yard a — under the designation of Thekkumbagam, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	9th Sept.	789 B
Ports of the Madura District.—A notification appointing the President, Taluk Board, Ramnad, to be the sanitary authority for the — under the Epidemic Diseases Act, ordered to be published in the Fort St. George and Madras District Gazettes	20th ,,	820 A
Indian Coast Ports.—Letter from the Government of India forwarding a modified scheme of storm signals for the — except those in the river Hooghly, ordered to be published in the Fort St. George, &c., Gazettes	14th Oct.	871 A
Ports of the Madras Presidency.—The Government of Burmah furnished with information as to the actual income at certain — for the years 1894–95 to 1896–97 and to the sources from which the emoluments of Port officers are paid	1st Dec.	972, 973 B
Reminder from the Government of Burmah to its reference regarding income at certain —, recorded ..	16th ,,	1034 B
PUBLICATIONS.		
Parliamentary Papers.—Proceedings, Financial Department, ordering that the distribution of — be revised and that the India Office be requested to regulate the future supply accordingly, communicated to the Presidency Port officer.	16th Jan.	53 B

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Bombay and Calcutta Gazettes.—Letter to the Governments of Bombay and Calcutta requesting to supply a copy of the — regularly as issued	26th Feb.	170 B
Report of the Government of India that the officer in charge of the Secretariat Book depôt has been instructed to supply a copy of the Calcutta Gazette regularly, recorded	16th Mar.	248 B
Report of the Government of Bombay that the Superintendent, Government Central Press, has been instructed to supply a copy of the Bombay Gazette regularly, recorded	16th „	249 B
Bureau Veritas Register.— Proceedings, Financial Department, informing the Secretary, Bureau Veritas, that copies of the — are supplied to the Chairman, Harbour Trust Board, by Messrs. Baker & Co., recorded	3rd „	192 B
Queen's Regulations and Admiralty Instructions.—The Government of India asked to forward a copy of the — of 1893 and the India Office asked to supply two copies of the latest and future issues	2nd „	174, 175 B
The Government of India asked to furnish an extract of paragraph 59. (*e*) of the —	28th April	387 B
Letter from the Director-General of Stores intimating that steps have been taken for the supply of two copies of the latest issue of the — and of future issues as published, recorded	14th June	534 B
Books available for distribution in the Chief Secretariat library.—Proceedings, Financial Department, stating that the indents received in reply to the order circulating a list of — will be complied with as far as possible, recorded ..	23rd Mar.	282 B
Tables for use in the collection of Basses and Minicoy Light dues.—Letter from the Government of India forwarding copies of — during 1897–98, communicated to the officers concerned	28th April	390 A
Books and Publications.—Proceedings, Financial Department, directing that in the case of books published in India, applications should be dealt with finally in the department of the Secretariat concerned, but that books which have to be procured from Europe and newspapers, &c., whether published in or out of India, shall be obtained through the Financial Department, recorded	24th June	574 B
Maritime Notes and Queries.—Proceedings, Financial Department, stating that only one copy of future issues of the — should be supplied to the Presidency Port officer by Messrs. Baker & Co., communicated to the Presidency Port officer.	18th „	551 B
Proceedings, Financial Department, recording letter from Messrs. Baker & Co. stating that they have noted the instructions that only one copy of the — should in future be supplied to the Presidency Port officer, communicated to the Presidency Port officer ..	10th Aug.	708 B

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Bureau Veritas Register.—Proceedings, Financial Department, declining to accede to the request of the Secretary — to be permitted to supply copies of the registers direct to the Chairman, Harbour Trust Board, communicated to the Chairman	5th July	598 B
Instructions to Commanders of Vessels, Port of Madras.—Orders directing that two copies of the reprint — be forwarded to the India Office	16th „	635 B
Books.—Proceedings, Financial Department, transferring certain — received from the Presidency Port officer, recorded.	11th Aug.	719 B
Burma Commercial Marine Rules Manual— *Vide* Codes and Rules.		
Government Publications.— Proceedings, Financial Department, communicating intimation from the Secretary of State of appointment of certain Agents in England and on the continent for the sale of Indian —, recorded	27th Sept.	837 B
Periodicals —Proceedings, Financial Department, circulating, for consideration and report, revised rules regarding the supply of newspapers and other — through the Agency of the Financial Department, communicated to the Presidency Port officer for report	12th Nov.	924 B
List of Proper Names of Muhammadans.—Proceedings, Public Department, approving the amended proof copy of the sixth edition of the —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	30th „	969 B
"*Hand-book to the ports on the coast of India and Ceylon*" *by Lieutenant H. S. Brown, R.N.R., Port officer, Mangalore.*—The purchase of 16 copies of the —, sanctioned	6th Dec.	987 B
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QUARANTINE.		
Quarantine.—Orders directing that the rules for — against the plague made by the Madras Government and having effect from 6th January 1897 in the port of Madras be notified in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, the Presidency Port officer taking the further necessary action	2nd Jan.	4–6 A
Do. Plague Regulations.—Intimation from the British Consul, Alexandria, of the Sanitary Board having applied the — to arrivals from Karachi, ordered to be notified in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	2nd „	3 B
Do. at Constantinople.—Imposition of — with rigorous disinfection on arrivals from Karachi.—Notification regarding ten days'—, ordered to be published	4th „	7 B
Do. Rules against Bombay and Karachi.— Telegram to the Government of India requesting sanction to the issue of — for the Port of Tuticorin	6th „	20 B

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Quarantine.—Intimation from the Governor of Natal of Bombay having been declared infected and that ships thence are kept in — 12 days after disinfection, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	8th Jan.	23 B
Orders directing that the rules for — against plague made by the Madras Government and having effect from 13th January 1897 in the Port of Tuticorin, be notified in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	11th ,,	37 A
The above forwarded to the Government of India and Government of Bombay	11th ,,	38,39 A
Intimation from the British Ambassador at Constantinople of — having been imposed on all pilgrim ships coming from India including Karachi, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	11th ,,	40 B
Telegram from the Government of Bombay communicating —, recorded	15th ,,	54 B
Do. at Calcutta.—Notification regarding imposition of — on vessels from Karachi owing to the plague, be published ..	15th ,,	50 B
Do. at Rangoon.— Do. do. do. ..	16th ,,	57 B
Do. at Malta.—Intimation that — has been increased from two to twenty days against arrivals from Indian ports, ordered to be published	22nd ,,	67 B
Do. at Brindisi.—Telegrams regarding the imposition of — and by the Government at Washington, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	2nd Feb.	89 A
Do. at Malta.—Telegram from the Government of India intimating that no — will be imposed on arrivals from Mediterranean ports if they have not been in India since 30 days'—, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	2nd ,,	90 A
Do. against arrivals from Bombay and Karachi.—Intimation that the Sultan of Muscat has imposed—, ordered to be notified in the Gazette	4th ,,	97 A
Do. Pilgrims.—The intimation from the Secretary of State that — cannot be allowed to enter Egypt, should the plague appear at Hedjaz, till disappearance and that pauper — cannot be allowed to leave Egypt, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	8th ,,	105 A
Do. Intimation from the Secretary of State that Holland has imposed 10 days' — on arrivals from Bombay and Karachi, ordered to be published	10th ,,	108 A
Telegram from the Secretary of State regarding Gibralter vessels arriving from India, ordered to be published	10th ,,	109 A

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Quarantine. Rules for — against the Plague.—Orders directing that the — made by the Madras Government and having effect from 13th February 1897 in the ports of the South Canara and Malabar districts and against Goa at Tuticorin port be notified	12th Feb.	116-118 A
Do. at Portugal, Malta, France and Algeria against vessels from India.—Telegrams from the Secretary of State regarding — ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette* ..	13th „	126 A
Do. Ships coming from infected ports.—Government of India telegram stating that the Secretary of State considers that it is advisable that all — should proceed to England without touching French ports, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	13th „	128 A
Do. at Cochin and Calicut against sailing vessels from Bombay. — Letter from the Resident in Travancore on the subject of imposition of —, recorded with remarks	13th „	125 A
Sanitary control of vessels coming from British India and Persian Gulf, &c.—*Vide* Sanitation.		
Do. Letter from the Collector, Malabar, requesting that measures be taken for placing in — all native vessels coming direct from Bombay to any of the Malabar ports, recorded	13th „	130 B
Do. Prohibition of entry of Shias and corpses from India into Mesopotamia—*Vide* Sanitation and Pilgrims.		
Do. Prohibition of the departure of pilgrims from the Madras Port—*Vide* Pilgrims.		
Do. Imposition of — in Egypt, Italy and France.—Telegrams from the Secretary of State regarding the — on vessels from infected ports, ordered to be published in the Gazette	19th „	139 A
Do. Importation of infected or suspected goods. — Government of India notification prohibiting the — from any port with regard to which rules for — against the plague have been issued into any port in British India, ordered to be republished	20th „	142,143 A
Do. Imposition of — at Tunis and in Rommania.—Telegrams from the Secretary of State regarding the — and letter from the Consul for the Netherlands stating that the Netherland Indian Government have declared Karachi infected with the plague, ordered to be republished ..	20th „	146 A
Do. Regulations in force in Persian Gulf.—Telegram from Her Majesty's Envoy, extraordinary, at the Coast of Persia communicating the —, ordered to be published in the Gazette	24th „	158 A
Do. Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, requesting the Surgeon-General to depute a selected Assistant Surgeon or Apothecary of discretion and firmness and a female hospital assistant for duty at the port of Tuticorin —, recorded	24th „	155 B

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Quarantine at Mahomorah and Bushire.—Letter from Government of India regarding imposition of five days' —, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	2nd Mar.	178 A
Do. at Turkey, France, Mediterranean ports, Hague, Cyprus and Switzerland.—Telegrams from the Secretary of State regarding —, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	2nd ,,	181 A
Do. Ports of the Madras Presidency.—Notification extending to all — the rules for quarantine against plague published in the Gazette of 16th February 1897 as regards vessels arriving from Goa and from all ports in Sindh and in the Bombay Presidency, ordered to be published	2nd ,,	186 A
A copy of the — forwarded to the Government of India for publication in the *Gazette of India*	12th ,,	227 B
Do. Russia and Portugal.—Telegram from the Secretary of State regarding the — regulations enforced in —, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	2nd ,,	187 A
Do. Russia, Germany, Antwerp and Dunkirk.— Do. do...	2nd ,,	188 A
Do. rules in force in ports of the Madras Presidency.—The Superintendent of Telegraphs, Madras Division, informed that so long as there are no cases of plague on board or there has been no communication with infected vessels the — will cause no obstruction to the work of the cable steamer	4th ,,	195 A
Do. Antwerp and Spain.—Telegram from the Secretary of State regarding the — regulations enforced at —, ordered to be published	4th ,,	199 A
Do. Roumania, Bulgaria, Varna and Bourgas.—Telegram from the Secretary of State regarding regulations enforced at —, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette.*	9th ,,	206 A
Do. Colombo.—Intimation from the Colonial Secretary that strict — is imposed on arrivals from Bombay and extract from that Government Gazette regarding prohibition of the importation of rags, &c., ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	9th ,,	212 A
Do. in France.—Letter from His Excellency the Governor of French Settlements intimating that exports from the East Coast ports of India will not be subjected to —, ordered to be published in the Fort St. George, &c., Gazettes ..	9th ,,	213 A
Do. Imposition of — rules in the port of Calcutta against vessels arriving from Goa.—Copy of notification issued by the Government of Bengal regarding —, recorded	10th ,,	216 B
Do. Regulations in force in Muscat and Gwadur.—Letter from the Political Agent and Her Britannic Majesty's Consul, Muscat, regarding the —, ordered to be published in the Gazette	13th ,,	229 A

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Quarantine. Regulations in force in the Persian Gulf.—Telegram from Her Britannic Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary at the Court of Persia regarding —, ordered to be published in the Gazette ..	13th Mar.	230 A
Do. Regulations enforced in Spain.—Telegram from the Secretary of State regarding —, ordered to be published in the Gazette	13th „	232 A
Do. Regulations enforced in Portugal.— Do. do. ..	15th „	239 A
Do. Imposition of seven days — at Mangalore on arrivals from Bombay, Goa and Northern ports.—Telegram to the Collector of South Canara directing him to report on Messrs. Shephard and Co's. complaint against the —	14th „	233 A B
Do. Orders considering that there is no need to detain healthy persons provided they can be kept under continuous observation for 7 or 8 days after landing, but that if persons cannot give certain addresses the Doctor would exercise a wise discretion in detaining them for a few days ..	20th „	274 A
Do. Regulations enforced in Spain and France.—Telegram from the Secretary of State regarding the —, ordered to be published	16th „	253 A
Do. Regulations enforced in Turkey.—Telegram from the Secretary of State regarding the —, ordered to be published.	19th „	263 A
Do. Regulations enforced in Turkistan, Brazil and Turkey.—Telegram from the Secretary of State regarding the —, ordered to be published	19th „	264 A
Do. Bulgarian Black Sea ports.—Intimation from the Secretary of State that all — are unconditionally closed against Rangoon, ordered to be published	19th „	265 A
Do. Regulations enforced in Austro-Hungary.—Telegram from the Secretary of State regarding the —, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	20th „	271 A
Do. Regulations enforced in Greece and Antwerp.—Do.—ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette* ..	22nd „	280 A
Do.—Telegram from the Resident at Bushire intimating that the *Persepolis* has received orders to compel all sailing vessels from India proceeding to nearest — station, &c., ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette* ..	26th „	296 A
Do. Russia.—The telegram from the Secretary of State regarding the — regulations enforced in Russia, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	26th „	302 A
Do. Imposition of — at ports in Burma against arrivals from Goa.—Copy of Chief Commissioner's notification regarding —, recorded	29th „	307 B
Do. Regulations prohibiting the conveyance of passengers from any place in India to any place in Ceylon which is not a customs port.—Letter from the Colonial Secretary, Colombo, forwarding copies of — and requiring vessels conveying passengers from India to procure bills of health, ordered to be published	30th „	314 A

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Quarantine Regulations enforced at Marseilles and Roumania.—Telegram from the Secretary of State regarding the —, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette* ..	31st Mar.	319 A
Do. Regulations enforced in Germany.— Do do. ..	31st „	321 A
Do. Imposition of 15 *days' — on all arrivals from West Indian ports.*—Letter from the Colonial Secretary, Colombo, regarding —, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	31st „ 1st May	322 A & 408 B
Do. Regulations enforced in Turkey.—Telegram from the Secretary of State regarding the —, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	1st April	324 A
Do. in Bulgaria.— Do. do.	6th „	332 A
Do. Réunion, Germany, Madagascar and Mozambique Do. do.	6th „	333 A
Do. Italy.— Do. do.	6th „	334 A
Do. Peru.— Do. do.	6th „	335 A
Do. Revised — Regulations.—Orders directing the publication in the Fort St. George, &c., Gazettes of the notification prescribing the — to be observed under the Epidemic Diseases Act in all ports of the Madras Presidency in supersession of those in force under Act I of 1870 ..	22nd „	363 A
Do.—Proceedings, Political Department, requesting the Resident in Travancore and Cochin to suggest to the Durbars of those States the advisability of introducing — similar to those contained in the above Government Order, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	20th May	465 B
Do.—Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, stating that the Municipal Commission of Madras is the sanitary authority for the port of Madras and that under the — it is the Sanitary authority that is bound to provide isolation hospitals, &c., for those suffering or suspected to be suffering from plague, communicated to the Presidency Port officer.	18th June	555 B
Do. Arrangements at Marseilles.—Telegram from the Secretary of State regarding the — and the importation of rice from Rangoon into Bulgaria, ordered to be published and the attention of all Port Health officers drawn to the instructions of the Government of India as to the grant of certificates to all vessels sailing from ports which are not infected with plague	26th April	373 A
Do. Regulations enforced in French Guiana.—Telegram from the Secretary of State regarding the, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	26th „	378 A
Do.— Do. In Turkey and Dardinalles.— Do. do.	26th „	376 A
Do. Ground at Madras.—Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, drawing the attention of the President, Municipal Commission, Madras, to the Regulation No. 117, dated 22nd April 1897, on the question of providing — for the segregation, observation and treatment of persons suffering or suspected to be suffering from plague, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	21st May	473 B

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Quarantine Regulations enforced by the Netherlands Indian Government.—Telegram from the Consul General for the Netherlands regarding the —, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	27th May	491 A
Do. Rangoon.—Telegram from the Secretary of State stating that — is considered a clean port in Bulgaria, &c., ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	1st June	500 A
Do. Réunion.—Telegram from the Secretary of State stating that at — all Indian ports are declared infected and rice ships are repulsed and that rice is imported from Saigon, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette* ..	3rd „	509 A
Do. Regulations for arrivals from Arabian and Red Sea ports contained in Venice Convention of 1893.—Intimation from the British Consul at Alexandria that the — have been put in force from 15th May 1897, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	4th „	510 A
Do. Rules against plague made by the Government of Madras. Notification cancelling the — under Act I of 1870, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, and a copy forwarded to the Government of India for publication in the *Gazette of India*	4th „	511–12 A
Do. Regulations enforced at Alexandria.—Two Telegrams from the Government of Bombay on the subject of the — against the Hedjaz ports on account of plague at Jeddah, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	14th „	531 A
Do. Regulations at Italy.—Telegram from the Secretary of State stating that the new — forbid the importation of certain articles into Italy, ordered to be published	16th „	535 A
Do. Burma, Karachi and Goa against arrivals from Bombay.—Copy of notification issued by the Government of Burma amending Rule III of the rules imposing —, at ports in — recorded	24th „	568 B
Do.—Government of India notification publishing certain documents regarding — and trade restrictions imposed in foreign countries in consequence of the existence of bubonic plague in India, ordered to be published in the Fort St. George and Maritime District Gazettes	9th July	607 A
Do. Rules.—Proceedings, Political Department, communicating to the Resident in Travancore and Cochin Government of India's suggestion that maritime states should be moved to make any alterations that may be needed in the — issued by them, with reference to the convention framed at the Sanitary Conference recently held at Venice, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	19th „	646 B
Do. for arrivals in Persia.—Intimation that the — is to be reduced to three days, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	24th „	664 A
Do. Telegram from the Colonial Secretary, Colombo, to the Government of India intimating that — imposed on arrivals from Western India, has been reduced to ten days from date of departure, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	6th Aug.	696 A

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Quarantine at Camaran against arrivals from the Arabian littoral of the Red Sea.—Intimation from the Political Resident in Turkish Arabia of the imposition of 15 days' — ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette* ..	10th Aug.	713 A
Do. and trade restrictions.—Government of India notification publishing certain documents regarding - imposed in other countries on account of the existence of the bubonic plague in India, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	20th „	737 A
Do. against arrivals from India and Beluchistan.—Intimation from the Political Resident in Turkish Arabia that — has been reduced to ten days from 3rd August 1897, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	26th „	757 A
Do. Regulations.—Orders directing the publication in the Fort St. George and all Maritime District Gazettes of the notification prescribing the revised — under the Epidemic Diseases Act in all ports of the Madras Presidency in supersession of those in force	23rd „	745–46 A
Notification under the Epidemic Diseases Act declaring that all vessels and persons leaving certain ports in the Madras Presidency for ports out of India shall be subjected to the revised —, ordered to be published in the Fort St. George and Maritime District Gazettes	11th Sept.	790–91 A
Orders observing that the interpretation placed by the Government of India on Rule 15 (3) of the revised — is in accordance with the intention of the Madras Government and directing that modification of Rule 15 (5) proposed by that Government be adopted and notified	21st „	823–24 A
Order stating that Rules 2 (1) and 16 of the revised — are in accordance with the terms of the Venice Convention	2nd Nov.	895 B
Orders regarding detention of vessels under the — *Vide* Vessels.		
The Government of Burma informed by wire that Medical inspection of all vessels leaving for Burma from the ports named in G.O., No. 790 Marine, dated 11th September 1897, is compulsory and that the desired intimation as to plague will be sent ..	5th „	907 B
Do. Rules.—Copy of Government of Bengal notification declaring that — shall cease to have effect in the port of Calcutta against vessels leaving Karachi on or after the 17th August 1897, recorded	1st Sept.	768 B
Do. Karachi.—A notification withdrawing the — regulations against the port of Karachi issued under the Epidemic Diseases Act, ordered to be published in the Fort St. George, &c., Gazettes	25th Aug.	754 A

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Quarantine Burma ports.—Letter from the Government of Burma forwarding copies of notifications removing — at Burma ports against arrivals from Karachi, recorded ..	7th Sept.	786 B
Do. Port of Calcutta.— Letter from the Government of Bengal forwarding copies of notifications publishing rules in supersession of the previous one for — against the plague for the port of Calcutta, recorded	11th „	801 B
Do. Ports in Burma.— Letter from the Government of Burma forwarding copies of notification publishing rules in supersession of the previous ones for — against the plague for the port of Calcutta, recorded	27th Oct.	883 B
Do. against the plague.—Certain notifications issued by the Bombay Government introducing new rules for — framed under Act III of 1897 in accordance with the principles of the Venice Sanitary convention, 1897, and applicable to vessels arriving at Aden from ports infected with the plague, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette* ..	3rd Dec.	977 A
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RAILWAYS.		
East Coast Railway.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, Railway Branch, communicating letter from the Government of India and connected correspondence agreeing with the Madras Government that no branch from the — to any port in the Ganjám district should be undertaken at present, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	23rd Nov.	954 A
RATES AND FARES.		
Freight.—Orders addressing the Home Government on the general question of withholding a proportion of — in all cases to meet possible loss on consignments of stores ..	23rd April	369 A
Orders of the Secretary of State, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	27th Sept.	834 A
Boat-hire for the Health officer.—The payment of — of the Port of Madras at Rs. 30 per mensem, sanctioned ..	20th May	469 B
Schedule of rates.—Draft notification amending the — under section 45 of Act II of 1886 cancelling the charge of one anna per ton for weighing coal on the Madras Harbour Trust Board's weighbridge, sanctioned and ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	16th Dec.	1031 A
RECORDS.		
Destruction of Records. Account documents in use in Public offices.—Proceedings, Public Department, approving the proposal of the Accountant-General in regard to the retention of the — for certain periods and communicating for guidance the list furnished by that officer, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	26th Feb.	165 B
Flat-file system of Record-keeping.—Proceedings, Public Department, revising paragrapah 5 of G.O., No. 992, Public, dated 11th September 1896, regarding arrangement of books in flat-files of records, recorded	9th Aug.	703 B

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Renting by the Harbour Trust Board of the existing Custom House, Madras.—Proceedings, Revenue Department, passing orders on papers relating to the — for storing therein on behalf of the consignees all goods landed at the port, communicated to the Chairman, Harbour Trust Board ..	6th Jan.	18 B
Rent on lands within the limits of certain ports in the South Canara district.—The proposed rates of —, approved and ordered to be published	11th ,,	26 A
Rents for Port lands at Calicut.—The notification regarding — published in the Gazette of 12th January 1897, ordered to be altered	28th ,,	85 A
Rent for the quarters occupied by the Deputy Port officer and the Presidency Port officer in the Port office buildings, Madras.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, forwarding to the Government of India an application for the exemption from payment of —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	27th ,,	80 B
Rent for the quarters occupied by the Deputy Conservator of the port of Madras in the Port office building at Madras—*Vide* Buildings.		
Rent-free quarters for Port officers.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, ordering that the Government of India be requested to authorise the Local Government to issue a general order exempting Port officers from payment of rent for quarters that may be, or are, provided for them, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	23rd Dec.	1049 B
REPORTS.		
Inspection Notes of the Presidency Port officer of the ports of Pámban and Tuticorin, recorded with remarks ..	16th Jan.	52 A
Report on the Disabled Boatmen's Fund for 1895–96. Madras Harbour Trust Board's annual —, recorded with remarks.	16th Feb.	133 A
Do.— Do. for 1896–97 do.	2nd Nov.	893 A
Report of the British Consular Agent, Pondicherry and Karikal, of his inspection of the Consular Agency office in Karikal.—Proceedings, Political Department, recording —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	16th Feb.	135 B
Report of the Presidency Port officer that if instances are given of the laxity among the British shipping in Karikal in obeying the Consular regulations, measures might be taken to check it, communicated to the Public Department	2nd Mar.	177 B
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Administration report of the Madras Harbour Trust Board for 1896-97.—Orders recording certain observations on the —	9th „	520-21 A
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Senior Government Inspector's report of inspection of the East Coast Railway.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, on the — for the half-year ended the 30th June 1897, recorded.	2nd Sept.	773 B
Report on the lighthouses in the Bengal Presidency for 1896-97, recorded	24th „	833 B
Administration Report of the Stationery Department for 1896-97.—Proceedings, Financial Department, reviewing the —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer ..	7th Oct.	857 B
Report on the Lighthouses in the Bombay Presidency for 1896-97.—Endorsement from the Presidency Port officer forwarding copies of the annual —, recorded	10th Nov.	917 B
Bombay Port Trustees' Administration Report for the year ending 31st March 1897.—Letter from the Secretary, Bombay Port Trust, forwarding a copy of the —, recorded.	13th „	927 B
Report on the working of the Government Press and its branch at the Penitentiary for 1896-97.—Proceedings, Public Department, recording with remarks —, recorded	18th „	942 B
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Report on the working of the Lights and Lighthouses on the Coasts of the Madras Presidency for 1896-97.—Orders on the Presidency Port officers' —	23rd „	1051-52 A
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Departmental returns of the Madras Harbour for the quarter ending 31st December 1896 showing the number of steamers which entered the port and the goods landed and shipped, recorded	9th Mar.	208 A
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List showing papers in the Marine Department issued during the week ending 10th July 1897, recorded ..	2nd Aug.	687 B
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Provincial Revenues.—Proceedings, Financial Department, directing heads of departments and the Accountant-General whenever administrative reforms or changes in classification are proposed to bear in mind and report without fail their exact financial effect on —, recorded	26th Feb.	166 B
REWARDS.		
Mr. A. Lee Pogson, Engineer, Harbour Trust Board.—Orders sanctioning the disbursement to — of Rs. 2,500 as an honorarium for his services in connection with putting down screw moorings inside the harbour and declining to accede to the recommendations made on behalf of Messrs. Boteler and Gunther, Foremen	27th Jan.	78 B
Reward.—The recommendation of the Presidency Port officer that a — be given to a pilot and ten boatmen who saved the crew of a native craft "Ramaprasad" which was wrecked off Baliapatam, approved and transferred to the Financial Department	8th Feb.	104 B
Proceedings, Financial Department, directing that the — be debited to Provincial, 32. Miscellaneous — Miscellaneous and unforeseen charges, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	25th „	159 B
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SANITATION.		
Bubonic Plague. Sanitary Regulations.—Endorsement from the Government of India forwarding telegram from the Secretary of State stating that stringent — have been applied to the French ports in communication with the east, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette* ..	29th Jan.	86 A
Do. Sanitary measures.—Government of India telegram stating that endeavours are being made to mitigate rigid — at Marseilles and that the Secretary of State considers that meanwhile it is advisable that all ships coming from infected ports should proceed to England without touching French ports, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	13th Feb.	128 A
Do. Sanitary Control.—Telegram from the Secretary of State stating that all vessels coming from British India and Persian Gulf at German ports undergo — and that in Italy, Asinara has been fixed as sanitary station for disinfection, ordered to be published	13th „	129 A

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SANITATION—*cont.*	1897.	
Bubonic Plague.—Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, passing orders regarding the measures to be taken against the spread of the —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	12th Feb.	119 B
Do.—Telegram regarding prohibition of entry of Shias and corpses from India into Mesopotamia, ordered to be published in the Gazette	16th „	136 A
Do.—Prohibition of departure of pilgrims from the Madras Port — *Vide* Pilgrims.		
Do.—Rules under the Epidemic Diseases Act III of 1897 to be observed in the port of Tuticorin — *Vide* Acts and Bills.		
Do. Importation of infected or suspected goods.—Government of India notification prohibiting the — from any port with regard to which rules for quarantine against the plague have been issued into any port in British India, ordered to be republished	20th „	142–43 A
Do.—Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, recording the above, communicated to the Presidency Port officer and the Chairman, Harbour Trust Board	15th Mar.	236 B
Do. Importation of rags, unwashed and old clothes, &c., from Asia into Austro-Hungary.—Telegram from the Secretary of State regarding prohibition of the —, ordered to be published in the Gazette	24th Feb.	157 A
Do. Prohibition to import corpses.—Telegram from the Secretary of State regarding the — into Turkey and into Mesopotamia do.	26th „	164 A
Do.—Regulations under the Epidemic Diseases Act III of 1897 — *Vide* Acts and Bills.		
Do. Health officer.—Notification appointing Civil Apothecary G. M. Green as — at the port of Tuticorin for the purposes of the regulations under the Epidemic Diseases Act III of 1897, ordered to be published	2nd Mar.	184 A
Do. Epidemic Diseases.—Copies of the Proceedings of Government containing notifications issued to prevent the spread of —, forwarded to other administrations	2nd „	189 A
Do. Inspection Station.—Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, ordering the publication of a notification appointing the Railway Station at Arkónam junction to be an — under the regulations prescribed under the Epidemic Diseases Act, recorded	2nd „	179 B
Do. Health officer for the port of Burma.—Telegram to the Medical officer, Sompéta, Ganjám district, intimating that he has been appointed — under the Epidemic Diseases Act.	5th „	200 B
Do.—Orders directing that the regulations issued by the Department of Sanitation, Belgium, regarding the measures for the prevention of the spread of — be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	6th „	203 A

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SANITATION—*cont.*	1897.	
Bubonic Plague. Alexandria Sanitary Board.—Letter from the Secretary of State forwarding copy of report of the proceedings of the — relative to animals, skins, &c., arriving in Egypt, ordered to be published in the Gazette	11th Mar.	222 A
Do.—Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, communicating letter from the Government of India forwarding an account of the experiments made by Mon. Haffkine with prophylactic and curative serum during an outbreak of — in the jail at Bombay, recorded	9th „	211 B
Do. Government of India notification prohibiting the embarkation on any ship at any port in British India with the object of proceeding as an emigrant, &c., to any port out of British India of any person who has since 1st January 1897 resided or been in or passed through the territories administered by the Government of Bombay.—Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, directing the republication of the —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer and Chairman, Harbour Trust Board	11th „	223 B
Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, directing that certain corrections be made in the above notification, communicated to the Presidency Port officer and Chairman, Harbour Trust Board	27th Sept.	840 B
Do. Protective treatment against the—. Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, communicating letter from Mon. Haffkine regarding the — and the experiments on curative treatment by antitoxin serum, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	11th Mar.	224 B
Do. Embarkation of emigrants and labourers.—Proceedings, Political Department, on telegram from the Government of India requesting that the Travancore Durbar be moved to issue notices embodying the substance of the Home Department notification prohibiting — in certain cases, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	12th „	226 B
Proceedings, Political Department, requesting the Resident in Travancore and Cochin to take necessary action in view to quarantine regulations being issued for ports within the States, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	23rd „	285 B
Do. Measures taken to prevent the importation of the — into Ceylon.—Letter from the Colonial Secretary, Colombo, conveying the special thanks of his Government for the —, recorded	15th „	234 B
Do.—Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, communicating circular of the Sanitary Commissioner regarding the importation of certain articles and requesting the Government of India to issue orders prohibiting export by rail and road of certain articles from infected localities, communicated to the Presidency Port officer and Chairman, Harbour Trust Board	15th „	235 B
Do. Importation of rags, &c., into France.—Papers relative to the prohibition against the — from Bombay and notification issued by the Natal Government that Bombay is an "infected" city, ordered to be published	17th „	255 A

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SANITATION—*cont.*	1897.	
Bubonic Plague. Bulgarian Black Sea ports.—Intimation from the Secretary of State that all — are unconditionally closed against Rangoon, ordered to be published	19th Mar.	265 A
Do. Inspection station.—Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, ordering the publication of a notification appointing Bezwada an — under the Epidemic Diseases Act, recorded	19th ,,	266 B
Do. Importation of Salt.—Orders directing that a telegram be despatched to the Government of Bombay stating that the importation of used gunnies from quarantined ports has been prohibited	22nd ,,	279 A
Do. Sanitary arrangements at the ports of France.—Papers forwarded by the Secretary of State relating to the new —, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette.*	23rd ,,	286 A
Do. Importation of Indian tea into Batoum.—Intimation from the Secretary of State that the — is prohibited, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	25th ,,	293 A
Do. Arsenicated and dry-salted hides from India.—Telegram from the Secretary of State intimating that— are admitted at Marseilles, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	29th ,,	304 A
Do. Passengers from Barura to Rangoon.—Letter from the Presidency Port officer forwarding copy of letter from the managing agents, British Indian Steam Navigation Company, Calcutta, on the subject of booking —, recorded.	24th ,,	291 A
Do. Passengers from any place in India to any place in Ceylon which is not a Customs port.—Letter from the Colonial Secretary, Colombo, forwarding copies of regulations prohibiting the conveyance of — and requiring vessels conveying passengers from India to procure bills of health, ordered to be published	30th ,,	314 A
Do. Passengers from India.—Telegram from the Secretary of State intimating that — can only enter Mesopotamia between Byazid and Khanakin, ordered to be published ..	31st ,,	320 A
Do. Health officers.—Notification appointing certain officers as — at the ports of Negapatam, Cochin and Calicut for the purposes of the regulations published under the Epidemic Diseases Act, ordered to be published in the Fort St. George and Maritime District Gazettes	1st April	323 A
Do. Health officers.—Orders observing that paragraph 2 of the notification printed with G.O., No. 323, Marine, dated 1st April 1897 is not inconsistent and should be acted on	28th May	493 A
Do.—Orders directing that the rules prescribing special precautionary measures to prevent the importation of — into Burma by vessels sailing from certain ports of the Madras Presidency be extended to Negapatam, Tuticorin, Cochin and Calicut	25th Mar.	295 A
A copy of the above Government Order, forwarded to certain Governments and Administrations	7th April	338 B

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SANITATION—*cont.*	1897.	
Bubonic Plague. Inspection Station under the Epidemic Diseases Act.—Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, approving the Collector's recommendation to appoint Kondapalli an— instead of Bezwada, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	{ 12th April { 30th ,,	356 B 400 B
Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, ordering the publication of a notification appointing Bezwada as an —, recorded	5th July	597 B
Do.—Telegram from the Secretary of State stating that Russia considers all British India except Ceylon infected with —, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	26th April	377 A
Do. First-class Apothecary R. Stewart.—Orders authorizing the Collector of Gódávari to appoint — to be Assistant Port Health officer for the port of Cocanada	28th ,,	389 A
Do.—Telegram from the Secretary of State stating that new jute bags packed in bales by hydraulic pressure coming from districts in India not infected are admitted into Roumania without disinfection and that vessels coming direct from Indian ports are only admitted to Sulina, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette* ..	23rd ,,	368 A
Do. Vessels and persons leaving certain ports of the Madras Presidency for ports out of India.—Notification under the Epidemic Diseases Act declaring that all — shall be subjected to the regulations specified and a notification ordered to be published in the Fort St. George, &c., Gazettes.	8th ,,	344 A
Orders observing that the rules printed with the above Government Order are not inconsistent and should be acted on	28th May	493 A
Orders directing the publication of notification declaring that all vessels and persons leaving the port of Kilakarai in the Madura district for ports out of India shall be subject to the regulations published in the above notification	17th June	549, 50 A
Do. Bills of health.—Report of the Surgeon-General that the Assistant Superintendent of Sea Customs does not appear to have been authorized to grant — at Kilakarai as there is a medical subordinate on the spot, recorded	10th July	614 B
A copy of Government Order, No. 344, Marine, dated 8th April 1897, forwarded to certain other Governments..	8th April	345 B
The attention of the Colonial Secretary, Colombo, invited to the notification printed in G.O., No. 344, Marine, dated 8th April 1897	10th ,,	349 B
Do. Mail bags.—Orders considering that — should be included in "cargo" under regulation 4 of the notification dated 8th April 1897, issued under the Epidemic Diseases Act	29th ,,	394 A
Do. Embarkation of passengers belonging to the labouring classes on vessels in the port of Tuticorin bound for ports in Ceylon.—Notification regarding the —, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	4th May	419 A

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SANITATION—*cont.*	1897.	
Bubonic Plague Cooly Emigrants.—Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, ordering that no — be permitted to embark at Tuticorin for Ceylon without a certificate from the Medical officer deputed by the Ceylon Government, communicated to the Presidency Port officer ..	30th April	398 B
Do.—Proceedings, Political Department, recording papers showing the action taken in the Travancore and Cochin States to prevent the spread of the —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	30th „	402 B
Do. Health Officer under the Epidemic Diseases Act.—The Surgeon-General informed that the appointment made in G.O., No. 183, dated 2nd March 1897, of the officer in subordinate charge of the port and Marine dispensary to be a port — for Madras is not cancelled by the notification of 8th April 1897	12th May	446 B
Do. Kips.—Telegram from the Secretary of State regarding the importation of — into Germany, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	18th „	462 A
Do.—Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, communicating to the Collectors of Tinnevelly, Madura and Tanjore extract from Dr. Fernando's report on his visit to Bombay in connection with the — and requesting them to take the most careful precautions at the ports in their districts to prevent persons from infected areas evading the quarantine regulations under the guise of Madras coolies proceeding to Ceylon, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	17th „	854 B
Do. Arrivals from Arabian and Red Sea ports.—Intimation from the British Consul at Alexandria that the regulations for — contained in the Venice convention of 1893 were put in force from 15th May 1897, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	20th „	470 A
Do.—Proceedings, Political Department, recording the Resident's report that the Durbars of Travancore and Cochin have published a notification prohibiting importation of used apparel and bedding, &c., from the territories administered by the Government of Bombay, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	22nd „	479 B
Proceedings, Political Department, requesting the Resident to move the Travancore and Cochin Durbars to issue orders similar to Government of India notification modifying its notification, dated 3rd April 1897, communicated to the Presidency Port officer ..	12th Oct.	867 B
Do. Health Statistics.—Proceedings, Public Department, communicating to the Surgeon-General and the Sanitary Commissioner, for early action, correspondence regarding the — to be submitted by Madras and other ports to the Alexandria quarantine Board and the India office, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	22nd May	477 B
Do. Proceedings, Public Department, including Cochin in the list of ports which have to submit — for the information of the Alexandria quarantine Board and the India Office, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	9th July	608 B

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SANITATION—*cont.*	1897.	
Bubonic Plague. Importation of certain articles into France.—Telegram from the Secretary of State regarding the —, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette* ..	27th May	492 A
Do. Hides.—Extract telegram from the Secretary of State stating that — from infected countries will be admitted into Belgium, if salted and arsenicated, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	1st June	498 A
Do. Pilgrims returning from the Hedjaz.—Local and Municipal Department endorsement transferring telegram from the Government of India requesting that rules of the Venice convention may be enforced against the —, communicated to the officers concerned	25th „	578 B
Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, on the above Government Order, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	12th July	616 B
Do. Sanitary authority.—Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, stating that the Municipal Commission of Madras is the — for the port of Madras and that under the regulations it is the Sanitary authority that is bound to provide isolation hospitals, &c., for those suffering or suspected to be suffering from the —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	18th June	555 B
Do. Medical Inspection of vessels.—The Government of Bombay asked to furnish the special rules for the — adopted at the infected ports of the Bombay Presidency	30th „	582–83 B
Do. Venice Sanitary Convention.—Orders directing that the instructions and regulation prescribed by the — be carried into effect as far as practicable and that the requisite modification of existing rules be made	6th July	601, 602 A
Do. Venice Sanitary Convention.—Letter from the Government of India answering certain questions in connection with the modification, in accordance with the — of 1897, of the rules issued by the Madras Government for the quarantine of vessels arriving from infected ports, &c., communicated to the officers concerned	28th „	670 A
The Government of India informed with reference to the regulations of the —, that the Local Government concurs in the view of the Madras Chamber of Commerce that the export from Madras of articles classed as "susceptible" coming from the infected areas being extremely limited, no special measures need be adopted at present for the protection of Madras as a clean port	11th Aug.	716–17 B
The Presidency Port officer informed by wire that G.O., No. 670, dated 28 July 1897, regarding the — applies to vessels going to Ceylon	21st „	740 B
Orders directing that Messrs. Binny and Co. be furnished by the Presidency Port officer with a copy of G.O., No. 601, dated 6th July 1897, from clause (*d*), paragraph 4	25th „	753 B

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SANITATION—*cont.*	1897.	
Bubonic Plague. Venic Sanitary Convention.—Orders directing that certain alterations in the translation of the — intimated by the Government of India be made	30th Aug.	765 A
Do. Prohibition to import rags, clothing, &c.—Intimation from the Secretary of State that the — from British India into Switzerland has been cancelled, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	16th July	631 A
Do. Importation of second-hand gunny-bags from Bombay.—Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, informing the Collector of Tinnevelly that the restriction on the — cannot be withdrawn, but that due notice will be given as soon as it is considered safe to relax any of the restrictions imposed on trade and on the movement of passengers, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	23rd "	661 B
Do. Port Health Officer.—Orders stating that the Government is not prepared to approve of the appointment of a third-class hospital assistant to the responsible position of — under the Epidemic Diseases Act at a port like Cocanada.	26th "	666 B
Do. Telegram from St. Petersburg stating that Amoy, Hue and Jeddah have been declared to be infected by—. Ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	3rd Aug.	693 A
Do. Inspection Station.—Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, ordering that publication of a notification appointing with effect from 16th August 1897 Kondapalli as an — under the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, recorded.	3rd "	692 B
Do. Arrivals from Hedjaz.—Intimation from the British Consul at Alexandria that the fourth quarantine Board have decided to suppress measures in force regarding — as the plague no longer exists there and to consider pilgrimage as closed, but all vessels with pilgrims will go to Tor for quarantine regulations, ordered to be published in the Gazette	9th " 14th "	706 A 724 B
Do. Prohibition to import raw hides.—Telegram from the Secretary of State intimating that the — into Italy has been withdrawn, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	11th "	720 A
Do.—The attention of the Bombay Government drawn to the delay which occurred in communicating to the port authorities at Tuticorin the fact of the removal of a suspected case of — from the S.S. "Alboin" prior to her departure from Bombay for Tuticorin	11th "	714, 715 B
Report from the Presidency Port officer that no more suspicious cases of — have occurred on board the S.S. "Alboin", recorded	17th "	730 B
Reply of the Government of Bombay, recorded ..	8th Sept.	787 B
Do. Sanitation of the foreshore within port limits at Madras and other principal ports in the Madras Presidency.—Public Works Department endorsement transferring Local and Municipal Proceedings referring to the Municipal Commissioners of Madras, &c., letter from the Presidency Port officer on the subject of the —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	11th Aug.	718 B

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SANITATION—*cont.*	1897.	
Bobonic Plague.—Telegram from the Bombay Government stating that Karachi was declared on the 17th August as no longer infected with — within the meaning of the Venice convention, ordered to be published	21st Aug.	739 A
Do.—Medical inspection of vessels —*Vide* Vessels.		
Do. Hospital Assistant attached to the port of Tuticorin.—Report of the Surgeon-General that the present — is more competent than his predecessors and likely to prove more useful, recorded and communicated to the Presidency Port officer	27th "	760 B
Do. Notification.—Copy of revised —, No. 3, dated 17th August 1897, issued by the Government of Bengal and prescribing rules for the inspection of vessels leaving the ports in that province for non-Indian ports, recorded ..	2nd Sept.	776 B
Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, recording letter from the Government of Bengal forwarding copy of revised — No. 2, dated 30th November 1897, prescribing rules for the inspection of persons travelling by rail, water or road within the limits of that province, recorded	18th Nov.	1043 B
Do. Colombo.—Report from the Colonial Secretary, Colombo, that the regulations of 23rd July 1897 have been repealed and that vessels coming from Western ports of India will now be admitted to pratique unless they come from Bombay and are less than ten days out, &c., recorded	6th Oct.	855 B
Do. in Madras.— Letter from the Presidency Port officer inquiring whether, with reference to the second case of —, it is to be considered an infected area, recorded with remark that the matter is being dealt with in the Local and Municipal Department	16th "	878 B
Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, recording telegram from the Government of India intimating that the fact that there has been no case of — for ten days since the death on 15th October has been notified under Venice convention to all Governments, communicated to the Presidency Port officer ..	3rd Nov.	896 B
Do. Epidemic Disease Regulations.—Letter from the Chairman, Harbour Trust Board, requesting that the Marine Police may be instructed to report to the Deputy Conservator of the Port of Madras any infringement of the — and that copies of certain Government Orders may be supplied to him, communicated to the Presidency Port officer ..	15th Oct.	875 B
Do. Inspection station.— Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, ordering the publication of a notification in the *Fort St. George Gazette* appointing Hospet an — under section 14 of the Mofussal Regulations and requesting the Collector of Bellary, Surgeon-General, &c., to make the necessary arrangements, recorded	4th Nov.	902 B

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SANITATION—*cont.*	1897.	
Bubonic Plague at Negapatam.—The Colonial Secretary, Straits Settlements, informed by wire that there is no — or other ports in the Madras Presidency	5th Nov.	906 B
Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, recording memoranda by A. Wingate, Esq., Plague Commissioner, Bombay Presidency, in connection with the —, recorded	8th Dec.	999 B
Do. Port Health Officers.—Orders observing that as the Collector as the "sanitary authority" of the district has appointed certain hospital assistants as — at specified ports in the South Canara district, nothing further is necessary to render the payment to them of the fees claimed, admissible	10th ,,	1006 A
Do. in Lower Damaun (Portuguese India).—Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, recording the joint report by Mon. W. M. Haffkine and Surgeon-Major Lyons on the epidemic of — communicated to the Presidency Port officer	23rd ,,	1047 B
SEAMEN.		
Unemployed Seamen.—The Government of India addressed on the subject of the influx to Calcutta of —	11th Jan.	33-34 A
Letter from the Government of India requesting reply to their communication on the above subject, recorded ..	25th ,,	70 B
C. Fernando, late Seaman of the Ship "Strathcarron."—Despatch from the Secretary of State enquiring whether the remarks contained in a letter from the Board of Trade affect the opinion arrived at by the Local Government that — is not a native of British India, communicated to the Presidency Port officer for report	28th April.	385 A
The Government of Ceylon asked to furnish a certified copy of the articles of agreement signed in Ceylon by —	20th May	466-67 A
The Home Government addressed in connection with the allegation that — is a native of Madras	14th July	622 A
Orders directing that the charge of £6-4-6 incurred by the Board of Trade on account of distressed seaman — be admitted against Indian Revenue	5th Nov.	904 A
R. Dayon, late lascar of the Ship "Vala."—Orders directing that a despatch be sent to the Secretary of State stating that the Madras Government is prepared to admit against Indian Revenues the charge of £1-9-1 incurred by the Board of Trade on account of —	19th July	649 A
Maldive Islanders.—The District Magistrate, Gódávari, informed by wire that his proposal to send certain — to the Port officer at Colombo at Government expense as distressed seamen, is sanctioned	8th Nov.	909 A

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SECURITIES.	1897.	
Security from Public servants.—Proceedings, Financial Department, cancelling paragraph 4 of G.O., No. 334, Financial, dated 14th May 1896, so far as it relates to Bank of Madras deposits receipts; but stating that the security deposits of Government servants already lodged in the Bank will be allowed to continue until the expiry of the term of each deposit, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	25th Nov.	963 B
SHEDS.		
Shed for the examination of passengers' baggage at the Port of Tuticorin.—Proceedings, Revenue Department, approving with remarks the proposal to erect a —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	18th Mar.	260 B
Proceedings, Public Works Department, directing the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, to prepare an estimate for the —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	1st Dec.	974 B
STATIONERY.		
Goose quills and steel nibs.—Proceedings, Financial Department, passing orders in regard to the supply of — to public offices, communicated to the Presidency Port officer ..	16th Jan.	56 B
Rubber Stamps—Vide Miscellaneous.		
Country-made paper.—Proceedings, Financial Department, passing orders on the proposal to substitute — for similar articles of European manufacture in public offices, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	4th Nov.	900 B
Stationery.—Proceedings, Financial Department, stating that the articles of — required by Landing and Shipping Dues Committees constituted under Madras Act III of 1885 should in all cases be obtained from the Superintendent of Stationery, Madras, the value being adjusted annually with that of the — debited to the Port Funds, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	18th Dec.	1046 B
STORES.		
Mineral oil for the use of Lighthouses in the Presidency.—The India Office informed of the loss of — caused by defective soldering and packing and the recovery of the short delivery of 9 gallons from the suppliers, suggested	2nd Jan.	1-2 B
Report of the Director-General of Stores on the loss, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	16th Mar.	247 A
Burners for Lighthouses.—Proceedings, Financial Department, communicating sanction of the Secretary of State to the compliance with the indent for —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	16th Jan.	55 B
Stores delivered by the Agent for Government Consignments, Calcutta.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, communicating letter from the Government of India requesting that receipts for — may be returned to him as soon as possible, communicated to the Presidency Port officer ..	3rd Feb.	95 B

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STORES—*cont.*	1897.	
Articles of country and European manufacture.—Proceedings, Financial Department, passing orders on the question of the delegation to heads of departments of powers of sanction to purchase — within certain limits, communicated to the Presidency Port officer with remarks	3rd Feb.	92 B
Articles.—The local purchase of certain — required by the Executive Engineer, Lighthouse Division, sanctioned ..	6th „	101 B
Mineral oil for use in the Lighthouses of the Presidency.—Orders directing, with remarks, that the half-yearly indent for heavy —, be forwarded to the India Office for compliance.	10th April	346-47 B
Proceedings, Financial Department, communicating sanction of the Secretary of State to the indent for —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	7th Sept.	783 B
Stores.—Orders addressing the Home Government on the question of withholding a proportion of freight in all cases to meet possible loss on consignments of —	23rd April	369 A
Orders of the Secretary of State, communicated to the Presidency Port officer and Public Works Department.	27th Sept.	834 A
Heavy Mineral oil.—The Presidency Port officer informed that the difficulty of filling in certain columns in indents for — does not extend to all and that the present system of shipping small quantities direct to numerous stations cannot be an economical one	4th May	422 A
Orders considering that the system of local distribution of — from ports in India to the various lighthouses should be tried and the results reported in due course.	19th June	556 B
Stores issued from the Store Department of the India Office.—Proceedings, Financial Department, communicating despatch from the Secretary of State urging the necessity for submission of samples whenever complaints are made by indenting officers or others respecting the quality of —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	11th May	441 B
Oil for Lighthouses.—Proceedings, Financial Department, communicating despatch from the Secretary of State stating that he has sanctioned compliance with the indent for —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	19th June	560 B
Government Stores.—Orders agreeing with the Board of Revenue in considering that in the case of jetsam of — the Port officer receiving the protest should board the vessel and satisfy himself as to the truth of the Master's declaration and directing that instructions be issued accordingly ..	16th July	634 A
Methylated Spirits, Muriatic Acid, &c.— The Government of India informed that His Excellency the Governor in Council is of opinion that vessels carrying native passengers should not be allowed to take shipments of —, &c. ..	28th „	672-73 B
Certain papers regarding the difficulties encountered by the Store Department of the India Office in shipping— to the port of Vizagapatam, forwarded to the Government of India	19th Aug.	735 B

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STORES—*cont.*	1897.	
Oil to Lighthouses. Supply of —. Orders authorizing the Presidency Port officer to continue existing arrangements for the — pending final orders on the proposals before Government	12th Oct.	861 B
Heavy Mineral oil for use in the Lighthouses of the Presidency.—Indent for —, forwarded to the Home Government for compliance	10th Nov.	913–14 B
Oil. Distribution of —to Lighthouses.—Orders directing that the existing arrangements for the — remain as at present ..	15th „	933 B
Government Stores.—Orders stating that — are exempted from pier dues and that the exemption applies whether they are handled by private agency or otherwise	17th Dec.	1038 B
SURVEYS.		
Survey of the Madras Harbour.—Letter from the Government of India stating that they have arranged for the services of an officer being made available during the recess season to superintend the work of surveying the Madras Harbour, communicated to the Chairman, Harbour Trust Board ..	25th Jan.	69 A
Letter from the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, stating that the — will be undertaken during the next recess season by Lieutenant W. G. Beauchamp, communicated to the Chairman, Harbour Trust Board.	3rd Mar.	191 A
Report of the Chairman that the Board will provide whatever boats and men are required to conduct the — and will meet all extra expenses of the officers deputed for the work, recorded	3rd „	194 B
Survey of the Coast between Baindur and Moolki Rocks (South Canara District).—The Government of India informed that His Excellency the Governor in Council would be glad if a — could be undertaken in the near future	29th „	305–6 A
Report of the Government of India that it is not possible to carry out the — earlier than the time fixed, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	1st June	505 A
Marine Surveys.—Orders concurring with Commander Oldham's suggestions that when a locality has been once surveyed by the Indian Marine Department, the harbour staff should thence forward keep the charts corrected and make re-surveys when necessary	26th May	487–88 A
Government of India letter approving of Commander Oldham's suggestion as regards certain ports, communicated to the Presidency Port officer, and the Chairman, Harbour Trust Board	20th Nov.	952 B
Marine Survey Work.—Orders stating that the Government is not prepared to withdraw the Reserve Port officer from his legitimate duties for the long period requisite to enable him to undergo a training in —	17th July	636 B
Marine Survey of India.—Programme of the — for the season 1897–98, forwarded by the Government of India, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	29th „	678 A

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Harbour dues on Coal.—The free re-shipment of coal which has paid harbour dues on landing at Madras, sanctioned and ordered to be notified	2nd Feb.	88 A
Port dues. Enhancement of—. Orders approving and directing the publication in the Fort St. George, &c., Gazettes of the draft notifications for the — of the eastern group of ports	12th April	351 A
Basses and Minicoy Light dues.—Letter from the Government of India forwarding copies of tables for use in the collection of — during 1897–98, communicated to the officers concerned	28th "	390 A
Life-boat dues at Constantinople.—Intimation from the Under Secretary of State for India that — should be paid into Her Majesty's Consulate, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	1st May	405 A
Port dues. Payment of—. Orders defining the term "due" in column 4 of the schedule of the Indian Ports Act ..	26th "	485 A
Pier tolls.—Orders directing that the course provided, by which each Pilotage Fund is kept distinct, the surplus or deficit at the end of the year being adjusted against the Port Fund of the group, be followed in regard to — and that the information be shown in the budget and financial statements, submitted to Government	19th Aug.	733 A
Do. Raising of — by Legislative enactment — Vide Piers, Pámban.		
Pier dues.—Orders stating that Government stores are exempted from — and that this exemption applies whether they are handled by private agency or otherwise	17th Dec.	1038 B
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Telegram wrongly classed "State."—Letter from the Director-General of Telegraphs requesting the recovery of cost of a —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer for necessary action	27th Jan.	77 B
Telegraph lines to the Observatory. — Proceedings, Public Department, sanctioning the proposed arrangement for the maintenance of the — involving an extra expenditure of Rs. 212, communicated to the Presidency Port officer ..	15th Mar.	237 B
Telegraph lines. Maintenance of certain—. Proceedings, Financial Department, recording the report of the Accountant-General that the extra expenditure of Rs. 320 on account of the — falls on "26. Scientific and other Minor Departments" according to the details furnished by him, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	2nd July	593 B
Telegram wrongly classed "State."—Letter from the Director-General of Telegraphs requesting that steps be taken for the recovery of the cost of a certain —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	29th Sept.	846 B

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Telegram wrongly classed "State."—Report of the Presidency Port officer that the cost of the — has been recovered, recorded and copy forwarded to the Director-General of Telegraphs	16th Nov.	937–38 B
Telephone and line at the Harbour Trust Board Office. Bill of Rs. 200 from the Oriental Telephone and Electric Company on account of rent of — for period from 29th September 1897 to 28th September 1898.—The payment of —, sanctioned ..	29th Oct.	885 B
Telephone system in Madras.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, accepting the revised charge for the Government consequent on the reduction in the charge for operators from Rs. 30 to Rs. 20, per subscriber from 1st April 1897, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	2nd Nov.	892 B
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Timber.—Proceedings, Revenue Department, approving the Board's suggestion that all departments requiring supplies of — should adopt the procedure prescribed for the Ordnance Department in G.O., No. 362, Revenue, dated 22nd May 1894, communicated to the Presidency Port officer ..	17th Dec.	1039 B
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VESSELS.		
British Ships leaving the ports of Pondicherry and Karikal.—Proceedings, Public Department, communicating report from the British Consular Agent, Pondicherry and Karikal, of the steps he has taken to prevent the breach of the law in respect of the number of passengers to be conveyed by —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	11th Jan.	31 B
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Derelict Vessels.—Copy of despatch from the Secretary of State on the question whether the reports of — now obtained from the masters of vessels are any longer required, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	22nd Jan.	65 A
Pilgrim Ships.—Orders directing that Madras be appointed a port for departure and arrival of — under section 7 of Act XIV of 1895	25th "	71 A
Vessels from foreign ports.—Letter from the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Burma, stating that Port officers have been directed to enforce section 38 of the Native Passenger Ships Act in the case of — which carry more passengers than the Act permits, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	2nd Feb.	87 A
Dredger "Wenlock."—Orders enquiring whether the Harbour Trust Board objects to wait for the — until she has completed her present work and has been docked and repaired.	11th "	113 A

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Steamship "Camorta."— Correspondence regarding the — having left the port of Karikal for the Straits Settlements without the bill of health granted by the French sanitary authorities being *viséd* by the British Pro-Consul of the port, communicated to the Agents of the British Indian Steam Navigation Company for information	4th Mar.	196 A
Vessels. Bills of health.—Letter to the Colonial Secretary, Colombo, intimating the ports of the Madras Presidency at which there are officers authorised to grant — under the Epidemic Diseases Act III of 1897	9th „	209 B
The Colonial Secretary, Colombo, furnished with a list of ports in the Madras Presidency at which there is a Medical officer or subordinate competent to grant ordinary — to ships leaving the ports	10th May	437, 38A
Do. Inspection of—. Proposal, that vessels bound for foreign ports should, when necessary and on the requisition of the Agents, be inspected by the Health officer of the Port of Madras up to 9 P.M., approved with remarks	6th Mar.	202 A
Do.—Orders on certain suggestions regarding the medical — in connection with the regulations framed under the Epidemic Diseases Act for observance in the port of Madras.	11th „	225 A
Orders informing the Agents, British India Home Line, that the Government does not see its way to vary the orders already passed on the question of the delivery of port clearance for outgoing —	20th „	276 B
Dredger "Wenlock."—Orders authorizing the Presidency Port officer to despatch the — to Calcutta for docking and repair	11th „	220 B
Do.—Orders in regard to the delivery of the — to the Madras Harbour Trust Board and requesting the Presidency Port officer to furnish the Board with any drawings of the vessel which may be available	12th „	228 A
Steam launch. Bill amounting to Rs. 200 *for repairs to the Boiler of the Madras Harbour Master's* —. Payment of the —, sanctioned	25th „	294 A
Vessels. Passengers from Baruva to Rangoon.—Letter from the Presidency Port officer forwarding copy of a letter from the Managing Agents, British Indian Steam Navigation Company, Calcutta, on the subject of booking —, recorded.	24th „	291 B
Do. Passengers from any place in India to any place in Ceylon which is not a Customs port.—Letter from the Colonial Secretary, Colombo, forwarding copies of regulations prohibiting the conveyance of — and requiring vessels conveying passengers from India to procure bills of health, ordered to be published	30th „	314 A
Do. Port clearance.—Telegram from the Colonial Secretary, Colombo, requesting that the Indian Port authorities be instructed to certify the number of the crew and passengers on any — and to see that clearances are dated on the day a vessel actually leaves the port, communicated to the Presidency Port officer for necessary action ..	30th „	313 B
Letter from the Colonial Secretary, Colombo, do. ..	6th April	336 A

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Vessels. Port clearance.—Orders approving the action of the Presidency Port officer in communicating G.O., No. 313, dated 30th March 1897, to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, and to the Collectors of Maritime districts for necessary action	28th April	392 A
Do. Inspection of—. Orders authorising the Port and Marine Surgeon, Madras, to refuse to inspect any vessel after dark if he considers that for want of proper lighting arrangements the inspection cannot be properly made otherwise than by daylight	31st Mar.	315 A
Do. Medical inspection at the port of Madras.—Orders directing that for each — of a ship under the Epidemic Diseases Act, conducted between 6 P.M. and 9 P.M., and on Sundays and close holidays a fee of Rs. 15 be charged	31st „	318 A
Do. Medical inspection of —. Orders considering that a vessel which has obtained pratique at any port of the Madras Presidency is not liable to further inspection during the same voyage under certain circumstances	3rd April	327 A
The attention of the Presidency Port officer drawn to the above Government Order and stating that subject to certain conditions — at Cannanore or Tellicherry will free the vessels from Bombay at Calicut	9th June	518 A
Orders directing that pratique granted at intermediate ports shall be recognised at Madras subject to the conditions mentioned in G.O., No. 327, but that vessels sailing for Burma must not be allowed to leave Madras without medical inspection as prescribed by the regulations	14th July	624 A
Orders on letter from the Sanitary Commissioner advising that all vessels known to have communicated with an infected port be liable to inspection at all ports in the Madras Presidency for a period of one month from the date of departure	25th Nov.	960 A
Barque "Bagh-ê-Ali."—Orders authorizing the Presidency Port officer to issue a temporary pass to enable the — to proceed to Colombo	3rd April	328 B
S. S. Yorkshire.—Orders considering that the — was in no way to blame in the matter of shortage of weight occurring in the consignment of iron shipped from England to Cocanada	23rd „	369 A
British Ships. Registry of —. Government of India notification directing the adoption in British India of certain revised forms for the —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer with directions to have the forms brought into use at once and the Government of India informed accordingly	7th April	339 A
Vessels. Marine protests.—Orders authorizing Port conservators to note and extend — at places where there are no Notaries Public other than those appointed under the Negotiable Instruments Act and to use the forms drawn up by the Government Solicitor with the requisite modification	23rd „	371 A

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Sand pump dredger.—Despatch from the Secretary of State forwarding particulars, with plan and tender of the —, recommended by Sir A. Rendel for use in the Madras Harbour, communicated to the Chairman, Harbour Trust Board, with remarks	26th April	374 A
Vessels. Fees for Medical inspection of —. Orders considering that fees sanctioned to Port Health officers, under the Epidemic Diseases Act will fall against Port Funds, &c.	28th "	389 A
The enquiry of the Collector of Malabar whether the above Government Order may be held to have retrospective effect from 13th February 1897, answered in the affirmative	7th Aug.	605 B
Do. Coming direct from Indian ports.—Telegram from the Secretary of State stating that — are only admitted to Sulina, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	23rd April	368 A
Vessels. Survey of —. Orders considering it unnecessary to direct as proposed by the Presidency Port officer, all vessels above 100 tons to be detained which are not known to have been docked and examined by a competent surveyor within five years	28th April	386 A
German S.S. "Amigo."—Orders directing that the matter of embarkation of British Indian passengers from French ports in India to the Straits Settlements by vessels not possessing certificate of fitness to carry native passengers as in the case of the — which sailed from Karikal, be brought to the notice of the Government of Straits Settlements	3rd May	415–16 A
Orders directing that the circumstances under which the Government Surveyor, Madras, declined to grant to the — the certificate requisite under the Act to enable him to take native passengers from any port in British India, be reported to the Government of the Straits Settlements	27th Aug.	761–62 B
Report from the British Consular Agent, Pondicherry, that the — sailed from Karikal for the Straits on 4th September 1897 with 215 passengers and about 168 bullocks on board, recorded	17th Sept.	814 B
Orders directing that the British Consular Agent be asked to report whether the proceeding on the part of the — in leaving Karikal without a passenger license though carrying away 196 passengers for the Straits Settlements is contrary to French law and if so to bring the matter to the notice of the proper authorities	12th Nov.	921 B
Vessels.—Notification regarding embarkation of deck passengers belonging to the labouring classes on — in the port of Tuticorin bound for ports in Ceylon, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	4th May	419 A

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VESSELS—*cont.*	1897.	
Vessels. Bills of health.—Orders directing that all vessels which call at Cingalese ports on their way from Madras to their final port of destination should undergo examination at Madras and a — furnished to all such vessels by the Port Health officer at Madras	5th May	427 A
Dredger "Wenlock." — Orders approving the arrangements made by the Presidency Port officer in placing Messrs. J. Batt and Lloyd in temporary charge of the — to navigate her to Calcutta and granting them certain allowances while on special duty	4th "	421 B
The bill of charges presented by the Harbour Trust Board on account of Mr. Lloyd for his services in connection with the —, sanctioned	19th June	557 B
Report of the Accountant-General that the officers navigating the — are eligible only to shore allowance and table money, or to deputation allowance and table money, communicated to the Presidency Port officer ..	19th "	558 B
Vessels leaving Indian Ports for Ceylon. Port clearances of —. The Government of Ceylon addressed on the subject of entering certain particulars on the —	7th May	433–34 B
Vessel in quarantine.—Notification prescribing a temporary regulation under the Epidemic Diseases Act prohibiting persons in charge of registered boats from taking them alongside of a — or coming from an infected port until such vessel has been granted pratique, ordered to be published in the Fort St. George, &c., Gazettes	10th "	435–36 A
Government vessels.—The list of — appertaining to Madras corrected to date, ordered to be printed and copies forwarded to the Government of India	22nd April	366–67 A
Barque "Queen of England."—Orders approving the proposed proceedings in regard to the conduct of the master of the — in connection with her collision with the S.S. "Bancoora" in the Negapatam roadstead on the 21st July 1896 ..	25th May	482–83 A
Letter from the Colonial Secretary, Singapore, intimating that no action can be taken in his Colony towards the cancellation or suspension of the certificate held by J. S. Pakeri the master of the —, recorded	6th Aug.	697 B
Vessels leaving Madras ports for ports out of India.—Telegram to the Colonial Secretary, Colombo, stating that all — are liable to medical inspection for plague and enquiring whether the Ceylon Government wishes that the rules be relaxed in the case of its own vessels carrying medical officers ..	5th June	516 B
Dredger for the port of Tuticorin.— Orders on proposal of the Presidency Port officer to purchase a new —	11th "	524 A
Vessels. Registration of—. Orders stating that it is not considered desirable to restrict the freedom of action of boat owners in the matter of licensed cargo boats leaving the port and trading to other ports and communicating to certain officers and to the Legislative Department of the Government of India the opinion of the Advocate-General dealing with the law relating to the —	14th "	532 A

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Vessels. Registration of —. The Presidency Port officer informed that the Government would allow matters to remain as at present unless any case occurs in which the issue of a terminable or other certificate of registry under the statute of 1894 for any reason becomes necessary in the case of some vessel of 60 tons or under	19th July	638 B
S.S. "Goorkha."—Letter from the Presidency Port officer relative to the embarkation of passengers on the — after medical inspection of that vessel, recorded with remarks.	11th June	525 B
Further letter from the Presidency Port officer on the above subject, recorded	29th "	580 B
Report of the Government Solicitor that no case can be made out against the master of the — for persons having got into the vessel after medical inspection, recorded	11th Sept.	799 B
Vessels leaving the ports in the Province of Bengal for Non-Indian ports.—Copy of revised plague notification issued by the Government of Bengal prescribing rules for the inspection of —, ordered to be publi hed in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	16th June	536 A
Vessels belonging to the Ceylon Government.—Notification exempting from medical inspection, under the Epidemic Diseases Act, all — carrying emigrants from the Madras Presidency ports to Ceylon, ordered to be published in the Fort St. George and Madura District Gazettes	17th "	543–44 A
A copy of the above Government Order, forwarded to the Colonial Secretary, Colombo	21st July	653 B
Letter from the Colonial Secretary, Colombo, acknowledging receipt of the above notification, recorded ..	1st Aug.	698 B
Letter from the Colonial Secretary, Colombo, confirming the above notification, recorded	10th July	615 B
Steam launch required for use in the Kistna delta.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, requesting the Government of India to order the construction at the Government Dockyard, Kidderpore of the —, recorded	24th June	575 B
Public Works Department memo. issuing an erratum to the above Proceedings, recorded	16th July	630 B
Proceedings, Public Works Department, communicating sanction of the Government of India to the construction in the Kidderpore Dockyard of a — and directing that a telegram be despatched to that Government requesting the construction of the launch to be postponed, recorded	6th Sept.	780 B
Vessels. Medical Inspection of—. The Government of Bombay asked to furnish special rules for the — adopted at the infected ports of the Bombay Presidency in order that the revised rules to be issued at Madras may be assimilated thereto	30th June	582–83 B

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	1897.	
Foreign ships of war. Visits with—. Letter from the Government of India requesting that the rules contained in paragraph 62 of the Queen's Regulations and Admiralty Instructions, 1893, may in future be followed at all ports under the control of the Government of Madras in receiving and exchanging —, communicated to the Military Secretary to His Excellency the Governor	1st July	586 A
Dredger "Wenlock."—Orders directing that the charges connected with the — for 1896–97 be adjusted as in the previous year	1st "	589 A
The proposed expenditure of Rs. 5,287 on the repair of the —, sanctioned	28th June	579 B
Vessels belonging to the Government of Madras.—The Government of India informed that the — are correctly entered in the list of vessels belonging to the Royal Indian Marine and other departments of the Government of India	12th July	619 B
Dredger "Wenlock."—Proceedings, Financial Department, stating that the charges for the two items aggregating Rs. 5,150–11–8 incurred at Mangalore on account of the — will be re-distributed in accordance with the principles laid down in G.O., No. 586, Financial, dated 13th August 1895, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	13th "	621 B
Vessels. Bills of Health.—Orders desiring Port and Customs authorities to warn masters of vessels of their liability to be put into quarantine on arrival at port of destination if they present old — and directing that the circumstances in the case of the Dhony "Rajalatchmi" which presented an old bill of health in a port of Ceylon be explained to the Ceylon Government	15th "	626–27 A
British Indian Barque "Halia" of Porto Novo.—Orders directing that the — must go to Madras for registry and stating that in any case the Government is not inclined to declare Porto Novo a registry port with the Registrar at Negapatam merely for the accommodation of a single vessel	12th "	617 B
Vessels. Jetsam of Government stores.—Orders agreeing with the Board of Revenue in considering that in the case of the — the Port officer receiving the protest should board the vessel and satisfy himself as to the truth of the master's declaration and directing that instructions be issued accordingly	16th "	634 A
S. S. "Patrick Stewart".—Orders directing that the charge on account of travelling allowance of the Port Surgeon at Pámban proceeding to Ramèswaram to grant pratique to the — of the Government of India, be admitted against Port Funds	15th "	628 B
Sailing Vessels.—Government of India notification embodying a telegram from the Secretary of State regarding the grant of bills of health to — and Sambuks sailing from Aden to the Red Sea ports, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	19th "	647 B

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VESSELS—*cont.*	1897.	
S.S. "Picciola."—Orders directing that the Port officer, Negapatam, be called on for full details of his calculations as to the number of passengers which the — should have carried and that these be checked by the Presidency Port officer before submission to Government and stating that orders will be passed in the evasion of the provisions of the Native Passengers' Ships Act by the master of the vessel on receipt of the information	19th July	641 B
Vessels. Native passengers.—Report and statement relating to — who left the Madras Coast during the official year 1896–97 by vessels which came under the operation of Act X of 1887, forwarded to the Government of India ..	22nd ,,	655–56 A
Vessels carrying Native passengers.—Shipment of methylated spirits, muriatic acid, &c., from England — *Vide* Stores.		
Vessels. Medical Inspection of —. Messrs. Binny and Co. informed by wire that — by day is compulsory under the provisions of the Sanitary convention and the orders of the Government of India	30th ,,	682 B
Revised rules for the — *Vide* Codes and Rules.		
Vessels arriving in Italy from India.—Correspondence embodying the Italian Maritine Sanitary Ordinance No. 5 intended to obviate delays to —, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*	11th Aug.	721 A
S. S. "Alboin."—Removal of a suspected case of plague from — *Vide* Sanitation.		
Ships.—Registration of — *Vide* Acts and Bills and Ports and Harbours, General.		
Dredger "Havelock."—The expenditure of Rs. 2,100 incurred on account of the — at Negapatam, sanctioned against the current year's budget provision under landing and shipping dues, Negapatam	10th Aug.	709 B
Vessels going to Ceylon.—The Presidency Port officer informed by wire that G.O., No. 670, dated 28th July 1897, regarding the Venice Sanitary convention applies to —	21st ,,	740 B
Vessels. Inspection of — made under the Epidemic Diseases Act.—Orders stating that Government is not prepared to sanction any special fees to the Port Health officer, Cocanada, for ordinary —	24th ,,	749 B
Do. Medical Inspection.—Orders declining to rescind the rule which renders compulsory individual — by day on shore at the time of embarkation of each person sailing on a ship from an infected port, but allowing inspection on board in the case of — berthed in the Madras Harbour	26th ,,	756 B
Orders directing that Messrs. Binny and Co., be furnished by the Presidency Port officer with a copy of G.O., No. 601, Marine, dated 6th July 1897, from clause (*d*) —, para. 4 of which it will be seen that Burma is classed with "foreign countries" for purposes of outward —	25th ,,	573 B

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VESSELS—*cont.*	1897.	
Vessels. Bills of health.—Orders answering in the affirmative the Madras Port Surgeon's enquiry as to whether the form of — prescribed in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 26th February 1897, may be used in certain cases	1st Sept.	769 A
Vessels leaving Karachi. Quarantine against —*Vide* Quarantine.		
Steam launch for the Kistna delta.—Proceedings, Public Works Department, approving the suggestion of the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, that the construction of a — be postponed, recorded	2nd ,,	774 B
Vessels leaving the ports in the Bengal Province for non-Indian ports.—Rules for the inspections of — *Vide* Sanitation		
Foreign ships. Survey of —. Orders stating that the question raised by the Presidency Port officer in regard to the adequacy of the provisions of law relating to the — is not one that has been overlooked by the legislature	16th ,,	807 A
Vessels. Medical Inspection of —. Letter from the Presidency Port officer enquiring whether the view taken as to the meaning of a telegram relative to — of crews and passengers, is correct, recorded	15th ,,	802 B
Do. Main deck accommodation.—Report from the Government of India that they have accepted the recommendation of the Government of Bombay with regard to the treatment of — for passengers in certain classes of vessels plying under the Native Passenger Ships Act, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	21st ,,	821 A
Do. Medical Inspection.—Orders issuing instructions for the — of crew of daily steamers from Tuticorin to Colombo ..	22nd ,,	825 A
Letter from the Colonial Secretary, Colombo, acknowledging the receipt of the above	17th Nov.	941 B
Letter from the Colonial Secretary, Colombo, confirming his telegram on the above subject, recorded	23rd ,,	827 B
Do. Form of Bill of Health.—Orders approving the amendment of the — proposed by the Presidency Port officer and directing that it be adopted and notified	27th Sept.	842–43 A
Steamer for the officers inspecting the lights of the Madras Presidency.—The Government of India asked whether it would be practicable to place for two months in each year the service of a suitable —	2nd Oct.	850–51 B
Letter from the Government of India regretting that no vessel of the Royal Indian Marine can be made available and stating that it is unlikely that a ship could be spared in subsequent years, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	4th Dec.	984 B
Dredger "Wenlock." Fittings for the —. Indent for —, transmitted to the Home Government for early compliance ..	16th Oct.	880 A

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VESSELS—*cont.*	1897.	
Vessels leaving for Burma.—The Government of Burma informed by wire that medical inspection of all — from the ports named in G.O. No. 790, Marine, dated 11th September 1897, is compulsory	5th Nov.	907 B
Vessels. Bills of Health.—Orders relative to certain irregularities in the grant of — by the Medical officer at Tóppatturai brought to notice by the Colonial Secretary at Colombo	27th Oct.	881–82 A
Letter from the Colonial Secretary thanking the Madras Government for the action taken in the matter of certain discrepancies pointed out in —, recorded	19th Nov.	946 B
Orders relative to certain irregularities in grant of — to vessels from certain South Indian ports to Ceylon brought to notice by the Colonial Secretary, Colombo.	15th „	934–35 A
Letter from the Colonial Secretary, Colombo, acknowledging the receipt of the above Government Order, recorded	14th Dec.	1029 B
Do. Detention of —. Orders observing that the waiving of the extra period of detention in the case of a vessel less than 10 days absent from an infected port is a matter which the Port Health officer should dispose of under Regulation 17 issued with G.O., No. 745, Marine, dated 23rd August 1897	25th Nov.	961 B
Ships not fitted with wooden decks or with iron decks sheathed with wood.—Letter from the Government of India suggesting that officers be instructed to withhold the certificate under the Native Passenger Ships Act in the case of — ..	30th „	970 A
Vessels. Medical inspection of —. Passengers by country craft from Bombay coast ports.—The Government of Bombay and Commissioner of Sindh addressed in view to full information as to number, age and sex of — being noted in the manifests or port clearances to admit of a strict medical examination being made of all arrivals from infected areas	30th „	967–68 B
Dredger "Wenlock." Upkeep of the —. Approving with remarks the proposal of the Madras Harbour Trust Board with regard to the cost of —	7th Dec.	993 A
Ships. Grant of port clearances to —. Orders considering that the circumstances brought to notice by the Presidency Port officer do not warrant any modification of the rules with regard to the —	7th „	996 B
Vessel "Hydroos."—Orders reviewing the circumstances under which the — left Negapatam on 6th October 1897, and arrived in Jaffna on the 10th idem with only 5 passengers while the bill of health stated that there were 9, and directing that a copy of the correspondence be forwarded to the Government of Ceylon	10th „	1008–1009 A
S.S. "Margarita."—Proceedings, Revenue Department, directing the Collector of Tinnevelly by wire to place the — at the disposal of the Presidency Port officer from about the 9th December 1897, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	10th „	1013 B

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VESSELS—*cont.*	1897.	
S.S. "Nawab."—Collision between the — and a barque belonging to Cochin — *Vide Casualties — Courts of Enquiry and Wrecks.*		
Outward bound vessels. Medical Inspection of —. The Government of Burma informed that rule 3 published in G.O., No. 879, Marine, dated 16th October 1897, about — applies to vessels leaving for Burma	22nd Dec.	1046/A B
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WORKSHOPS.		
Public Works Work shops, Madras.—Orders expressing a hope that the Harbour Trust Board will see its way to employing the — on all suitable occasions in which work cannot be carried out departmentally under the direct supervision of the Board's Engineer	14th June	533 A
WRECKS.		
Derelict vessels.—Copy of despatch from the Secretary of State on the question whether the reports of — now obtained from the masters of vessels are any longer required, communicated to the Presidency Port officer	22nd Jan.	65 A
Barque "Henrietta Elizabeth." Foundering at sea of the — while on a voyage from Negapatam to Nancowry.—Orders on report of the Court of Enquiry into the circumstances connected with the —	16th Mar.	251-52 A
Orders calling for full particulars regarding the inspection of the — at Negapatam	28th April	386 A
Orders on report of the result of the prosecution of the owners of the —	15th Nov.	929 B
Letter from the Colonial Secretary, Colombo, requesting that the master and mate of the — may be informed that their certificates are withdrawn, communicated to the Presidency Port officer for necessary action ..	17th "	460 B
Proceedings, Judicial Department, requesting the District Magistrate, Tanjore, to take steps for the prosecution of the owner or owners of the — under section 5 of the Indian Merchant Shipping Act VII of 1890, communicated to the Presidency Port officer ..	17th May	461 B
British Barque "Colonel Fytche." Foundering of the — off Nancowry in July 1896.—Orders stating that it is not desirable to summon a court of further enquiry in the case of the —	16th Mar.	246 B
Barque belonging to Cochin.—Report of the Presidency Port officer that a — has been sunk by the Asiatic Steam Navigation Company's steamer "Nawab," recorded and a report promised, awaited	6th Dec.	988 B
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